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ABSTRACT

A computer model is outlined for estimating the annual energy performance of a daylighted building. The daylighting model is a system of FORTRAN subroutines designed for inclusion into larger building energy simulation programs such as DOE-2, BLAST, and NBSLD. Once incorporated into the main energy program, these subroutines will allow the existing program to account for the energy tradeoffs associated with natural illumination.

The daylighting model, DALITE, comprises three separate routines to do three separate functions. The first routine generates hourly sky luminances and sky illuminances as well as direct sun illuminance, taking solar radiation and sun position data as input. The second predicts interior daylight illumination at various points within a room due to any number of windows, skylights or clerestories. The last routine adjusts the electric lighting load (via photo-electric controls) in response to the available daylight. Unlike most other daylighting estimation techniques, this model is a dynamic model designed to study how conditions change with time. It has a further advantage in that it can be easily installed into most existing energy models written in FORTRAN 77.

Key Words: building computer simulation, building energy performance, clerestory performance, daylighting, lighting, skylight performance, window performance.

Cover: Daylight admitted through sloped glazing in a high-rise office complex.

PREFACE

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Illuminance	fc	1x	10.76	
Irradiance	Btu/hr•ft ²	W/m ² 3.155		
Luminance	fL	nit (cd/m ²)	3.426	

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1. INTRODUCTION

With the renewed interest in energy conservation in general, and with daylighting in particular, many in the building profession have become interested in how daylighting impacts the energy performance of a building over time. This interest extends beyond simple daylighting design calculations by including the impact of daylighting strategies on the building lighting, heating, and cooling requirements. The goal has become annual energy consumption not illumination at one point in time. Only since the recent introduction of computers into the building industry, has it been possible to perform an annual energy analyses with any substantial degree of certainty. Today many computer programs exist for estimating energy use in buildings. Among the

best known public domain programs are DOE-2 [1], BLAST [2], and NBSLD [3]; not to mention the host of proprietary programs currently in use [4]. These programs consider most of the major transient energy parameters in buildings. Some are more rigorous than others, and each has its strengths and weaknesses, but few have an integrated daylighting model sufficient for existing daylighting practice.

While there are also computer programs developed exclusively for daylighting analysis, these are designed for rigorous yet static design conditions and are normally too time consuming to be used repetitively for energy studies. In this category are such lighting programs as LUMEN II [5], SUPERLIGHT [6], and CEL-1 [7], which are useful programs for those interested in a careful evaluation of an illuminated space, but are much too rigorous for execution each daylight hour of the year. They also share in a common weakness as far as building energy simulation programs are concerned in that they study only standard sky conditions and are not designed to be responsive to changing weather conditions.

In the following pages, a daylighting model is offered which is specifically designed for use in large-scale building simulation programs. It has been prepared as a set of subroutines that can be incorporated into existing programs with a minimum of effort. The subroutines are short, concise, and computationally fast (normally causing under ten percent of the total CPU time for a full daylighting analysis). They should be compatible with most computer programs currently written in FORTRAN 77, and with only slight modifications could also be revised into FORTRAN IV. In fact, the daylighting algorithms are small enough to put into a micro-computer provided it has a FORTRAN compiler.

Facing page: The sky hemisphere under partly cloudy conditions



2. THE DALITE SUBPROGRAM

2.1 CAPABILITIES

The DALITE subprogram is unique in that it comes as a package, a group of small subroutines, which can be incorporated into most existing building simulation programs. Unlike most other daylighting models, its small packaged form enables it to be fully integrated into a larger building simulation program without requiring excessive computation time. In this way, hourly daylighting analyses can be done simulataneously with the thermal calculations, allowing an assessment of the overall energy impact of daylighting.

The DALITE package is streamlined to be computationally fast and computes only those elements that contribute significantly to the energy performance of the building. While being a simplified model, it is still flexible in its ability to simulate a range of fenestration scenerios — windows, skylights, clerestories, roof monitors, overhangs, sidefins, and almost any combination of these. The subprogram is also fairly even-handed in that it does not concentrate computation time on a few noncritical calculations at the expense of others. For instance, the interreflection model is flexible for use with both sidelighting and toplighting, yet avoids rigorous interflux calculations.

The sky subroutine deals with a continuous range of sky conditions, not just clear or overcast, and needs only the instantaneous solar radiation and sun position as input. From this internally generated availability data, another subroutine estimates the reflected light from surrounding buildings, light from the sky dome, reflected ground light, and internally reflected light. The direct beam illuminance, as a rhomboidal patch of sunlight on the workplane, is also simulated for each aperture that has sunlight falling on it. Thus, the package is capable of performing all critical daylighting/energy calculations, and utilizes information in the existing building simulation program to perform the daylighting analysis.

2.2 INCORPORATING THE SUBPROGRAM INTO AN ENERGY PROGRAM

Although the DALITE subprogram is a complete package and can be prepared as a stand-alone program, its intended purpose is for use as a subroutine package in other energy simulation programs. DALITE and its three subordinate subroutines should be executed as a part of the hourly building load calculations as shown in figure 2.1. From the programmer's point of view, incorporation requires only input/output preparation through a single two-dimensional array (see Appendix B). The instantaneous electric light load and heat-of-lights given as output can be fed into the hourly load compilation along with the other thermal loads, which are totalled for each zone and sent on to the system and plant compilations to give the total annual energy (see Appendix C).

2.2.1 Subprogram Structure

The DALITE subprogram comprises a sky model (SKYLUM), an interior daylight model (RMLITE), and a lighting load model (LLOAD), each as a separate subroutine. Figure 2.2 illustrates the subroutine structure. DALITE is the master routine coordinating the data from the subroutines and prepares the input/output information. It acts as an interface between the individual components and the main energy program. DALITE is executed only once each daytime hour for any given room but the SKYLUM and RMLITE subroutines are executed, respectively, for each fenestration aperture and for each sensor position. LLOAD is executed once for each sensor each hour. To streamline the program further, the repetitive calculations in the RMLITE model are suppressed once the geometry coefficients have been computed and these coefficients are used each repeated hour, greatly increasing the speed of the program.

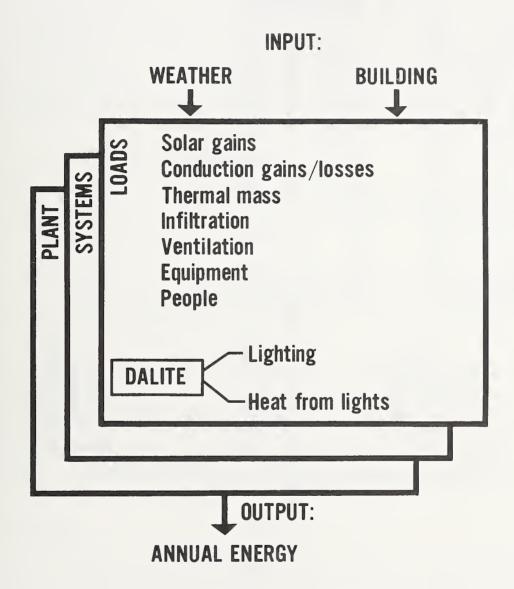


Figure 2.1 The DALITE program as a part of the total energy analysis process

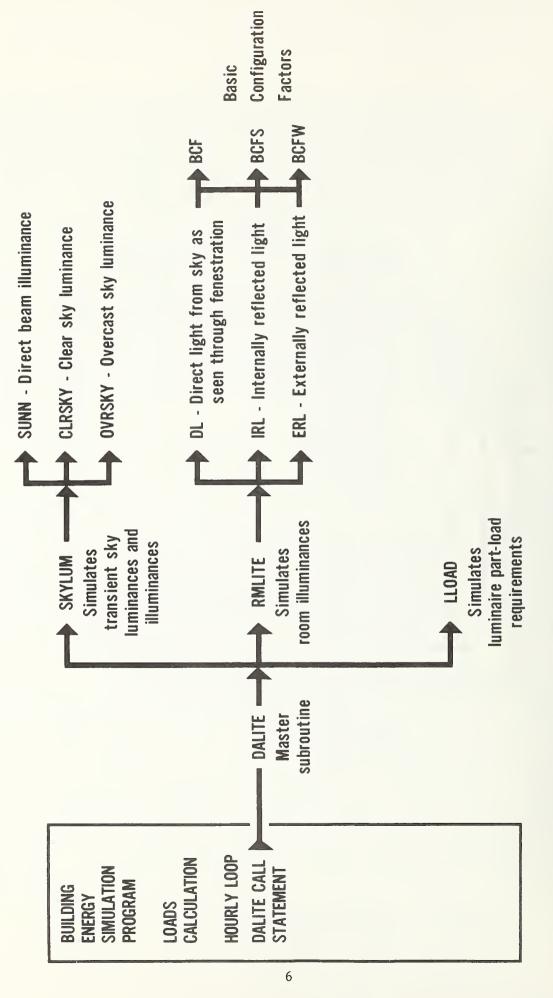


Figure 2.2 DALITE subroutine structure

2.2.2 Input/Output

Input is requested by the main energy program internally at two points during execution of the program: 1) during initialization when the main program is defining building information that remains constant throughout the analysis, and 2) during each repetitive execution when the sky and other conditions change (see Appendix C). A single array is used for storing input and output (I/O) information. The array is sized through parameter statements in the main program to accommodate an arbiturary number of fenestration apertures and dimmer/switch controls. In this way, for a larger (or smaller) capacity of either, adjustments can be made in the array size and the limits on the doloops. Details of array element assignments are delineated in Appendix C.

2.2.3 Reference and Coordinate Systems

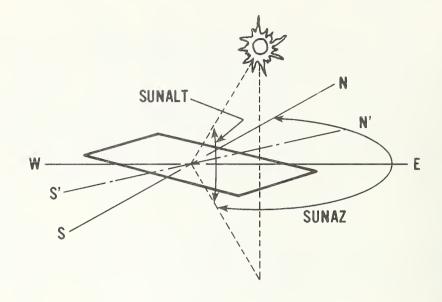
The DALITE routine has its own reference and coordinate systems which positions the building and the sun on the building site, positions the photo sensors in the room, and positions the fenestration on the walls or ceiling. Each reference system is briefly discussed below.

The coordinates of the building's orientation are shown in figure 2.3. Buildings oriented off the north/south axis (as shown) have an azimuth angle correction AZM, where AZM is in degrees clockwise from north. The sun angles SUNAZ and SUNALT are also input in degrees, and are the solar azimuth clockwise from north and solar altitude above the horizon, respectively.

Figures 2.4 and 2.5 illustrate the coordinates used to locate sensor positions and the fenestration. The coordinates of the room and the coordinates of each wall are always referenced to the lower left-hand corner of the plane. For example, to locate a window on a wall, the lower left-hand corner of the window is referenced to the lower left-hand corner of the wall as viewed externally. Skylights and clerestories are located on the ceiling in a similar way. It is important to note that coordinates of each surface, including the floor, are specified in either the height, width or length directions as represented in figure 2.6.

2.3 LIMITATIONS

As is characteristic of any prediction procedure, the daylighting model has limitations. Although the ceiling plane is allowed to be sloped, the room plan is otherwise assumed to be rectangular, meaning that the program cannot simulate interreflections in L-shaped or other non-rectangular geometries. A warning might be made here that when simulating room geometries with depth-to-height ratios greater than two or three to one, interreflected light should not be computed, since the validity of the assumptions used to determine interflected light is questionable at such room depths. There are also unique types of fenestration designs that cannot be sufficiently represented such as light shelves and domes. However, with wisdom in making the right assumptions these too can be done by approximation and should not be considered a severe weakness; most thermal models do not accurately account for such configurations either. When novel or complex fenestration designs are to be analyzed, a



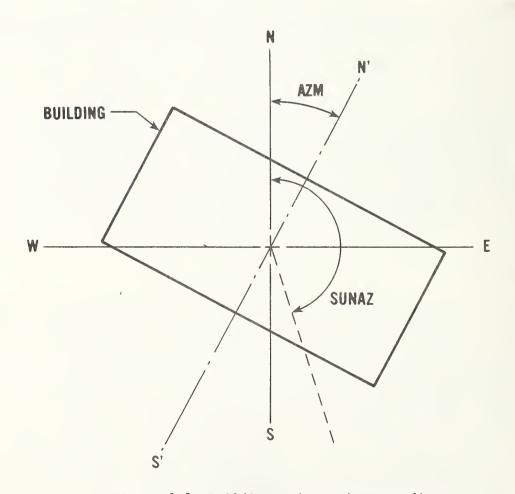


Figure 2.3 Building orientation coordinates

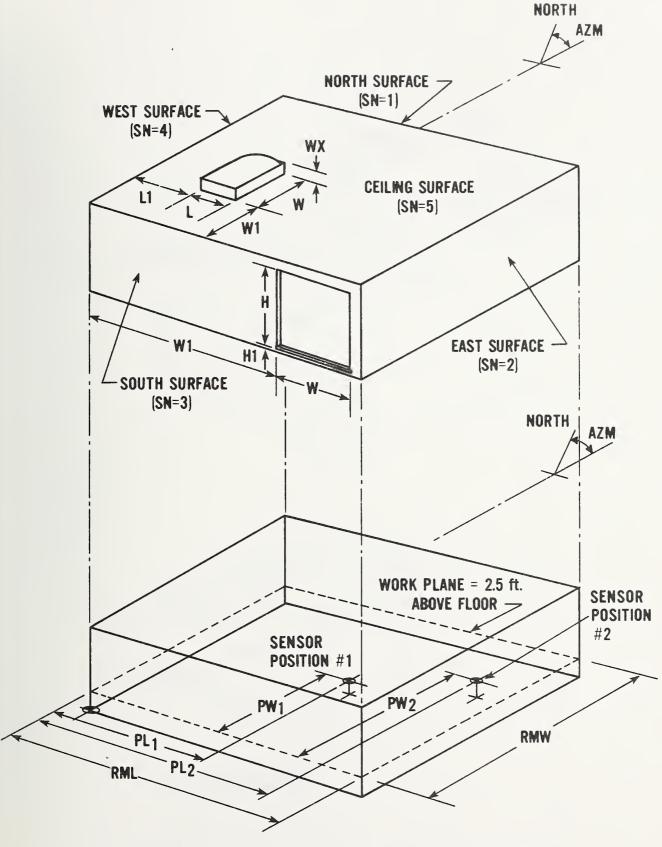


Figure 2.4 Room and fenestration coordinates

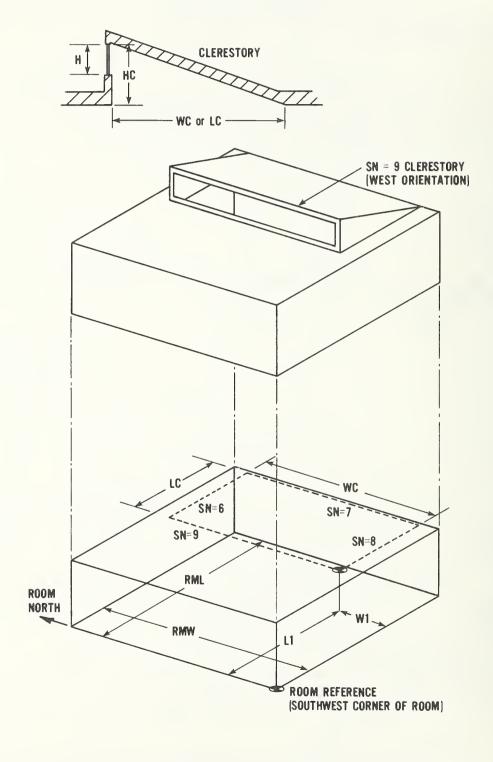
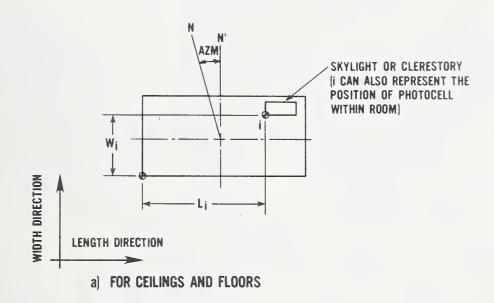


Figure 2.5 Fenestration coordinates for a clerestory



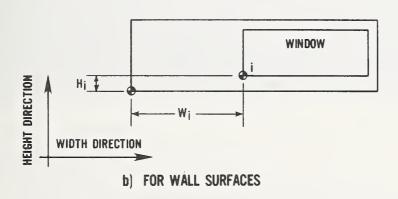


Figure 2.6 Surface coordinates

possible option is to determine the geometric daylight coefficients (see section 2.2.1) apart from the DALITE program using either physical models or manual calculations, and assuming these as constants, simulate the sky and building load interfacing using the remaining daylighting algorithms. Great flexibility can be achieved in this way, with the limits being only the extent at which such coefficients can be obtained.

Glare is not modeled explicitly, but this is intentional. DALITE seeks to simulate the photoelectric control response to changing daylighting conditions, not the user response to those conditions. While it is true that a relation—ship probably exists between the two, a valid correlation can only be assumed if building occupants respond to a glare problem by applying or adjusting a glare or sun control device, which in turn adjusts the effective transmittance of the fenestration. Since such adjustments are normally modeled as a part of the existing loads program, it is necessary only to replace the specified transmittance with an hourly adjusted value before the call statement to the DALITE subroutine is given.

Another possible limitation may be found in the model's assumption that the rooms are empty. Internal obstructions such as furniture and occupants are not considered as contributers in the lighting calculations even though they do contribute to the thermal latent and sensible loads. Since the daylighting model was developed as a streamlined program, such capabilities were not considered essential.

Facing page: Measuring the sky luminance at selected positions in the sky.



3. THE SKYLUM ROUTINE

3.1 CAPABILITIES

Since the weather data normally used in building energy programs do not include hourly exterior daylight, such values are generated internally from the available values of solar radiation and sun position. Total and diffuse solar radiation incident upon a horizontal surface, values that are normally computed within the larger existing programs, are used to determine the sky conditions. From this hourly information the sky luminances as seen through each window or skylight are calculated. The intensity of the direct sun and the total illuminance on a horizontal plane is also determined.

Obtaining hourly solar data in any form is a complex issue. For the relatively few locations in North America where hourly values of total horizontal and direct normal solar radiation are recorded, such data can be easily accessed. But for cities where only TRY (Test Reference Year) data are available, the hourly solar radiation must be generated internally using a calculation procedure such as developed by Liu and Jordan [8], Stevenson and Kimura [9], or others [10]. When the more common TRY weather tapes are used, the only hourly sky information provided is a visual (subjective) assessment of the cloud conditions, specified in terms of a cloud cover value and the type of cloud in four different layers. Even when TMY (Typical Meteorological Year) weather tapes or other solar data are used the data itself is normally incomplete and is interpolated for a complete hourly file. Therefore, due to the nature of the input data alone, the sky model carries a degree of uncertainty. The SKYLUM routine assumes that the following solar data are accessible by the time the DALITE subroutine is called: 1) sun altitudes and azimuth, 2) total horizontal solar radiation, and 3) the ratio of diffuse to total horizontal solar radiation. .The instantaneous solar altitude and azimuth are used to determine the zenith clear sky luminance; the horizontal solar radiation is used to derive the horizontal illuminance and the overcast sky luminance; the ratio of the diffuse to total radiation (denoted as the cloud ratio, CR hereafter) is used to determine intermediate partly cloudy sky condition. This latter term is discussed in more detail below.

3.2 THE PHASING TECHNIQUE

To capture the variable nature of the sky as it changes with time, a continuous phasing technique is employed. Since skies are often neither perfectly clear nor perfectly overcast, a weighted averaging is done hourly between the two extremes based on the cloud ratio CR described above. The process requires an initial determination of the sky luminance as seen through the fenestration under the clear and overcast conditions, and a phasing technique is done between the two conditions to get the intermediate value actually used as shown in figure 3.1. The intermediate sky luminance at point P thus becomes,

$$L_p = \xi_{clr}(L_{p_{ovr}}) + \xi_{ovr}(L_{p_{ovr}})$$

or

$$L_{p} = \xi_{clr}(L_{p_{clr}}) + (1 - \xi_{clr})(L_{p_{ovr}})$$
(3.1)

where,

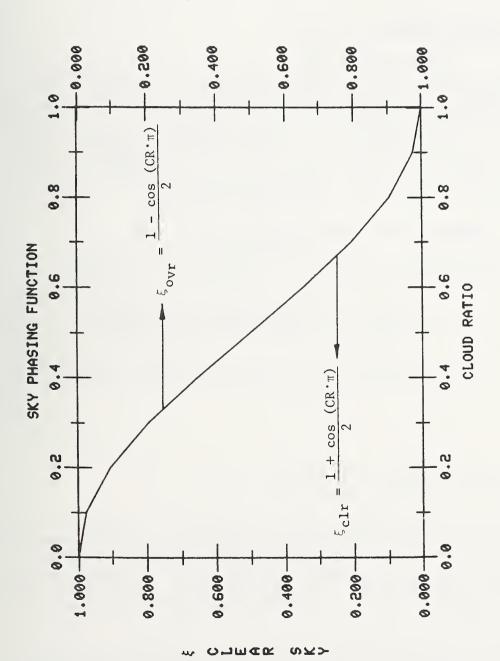
 ξ_{clr} = the clear sky fraction

 ξ_{ovr} = the overcast sky fraction

 $L_{p_{clr}}$ = the clear sky luminance

 $L_{p_{ovr}}$ = the overcast sky luminance.





B Curve used to obtain intermediate sky luminance as function of cloud ratio Figure 3.1

Due to the nature of the CR, a sinusoidal curve was used to interface between sky luminance values. This curve gives expressions for $\xi_{\rm Clr}$ and $\xi_{\rm ovr}$ as,

$$\xi_{\rm clr} = \frac{1 + \cos\left(CR^*\pi\right)}{2} \tag{3.2}$$

and

$$\xi_{\text{ovr}} = \frac{1 - \cos\left(CR^*\pi\right)}{2} \tag{3.3}$$

which provides the slightly biased weighted average in favor of either of the clear or overcast sky condition. It should be pointed out, however, that equations 3.2 and 3.3 do not generate the percentage of the sky in clouds, but rather estimate a weighted average luminance; the cosine curve is this weighting function. From sky measurements it has been noted that cloud ratios of about 0.20 and below are effectively clear skies with possibly only a slight haze present. Likewise, it appears that the blue sky is no longer present after the cloud ratio exceeds about 0.80. The cosine function is simply an attempt at capturing this natural bias toward the extremes.

3.3 THE ZENITH LUMINANCE AND LUMINANCE DISTRIBUTION

For the clear sky luminance at point P in the sky, Kittler's luminance distribution equation [11] is used,

$$L_{p clr} = L_{Z clr} \frac{(1-e^{-0.32/\sin\theta}) (0.91 + 10e^{-3\psi} + 0.45\cos^{2}\psi)}{0.274 (0.91 + 10e^{-3(\pi/2-h)} + 0.45\sin^{2}h)}$$
(3.4)

where the radian angles θ , ψ , and h are given in figure 3.2. The zenith sky luminance L_{Z} clr for perfectly clear sky conditions is given by the equation

$$L_{Z, clr} = a_0 + a_1 h^2$$
 (k cd/m²) (3.5)

where,

h = the solar altitude in degrees a_0 , a_1 = atmospheric coefficients as found in table 1.

The coefficients a_0 and a_1 are from Dogniaux [12] with the coefficients for the h^3 term excluded since their contribution is insignificant for this type of application. The values for the Ångström turbidity coefficient β and the precipitable water ω , while not normally available, can be approximated using the classification shown in table 1 (also from Dogniaux). Reference is made to Linke [13] and Nagel [14] for the relationship between β and ω and other atmospheric factors.

Figure 3.3 shows a plot of the NBS sky measurements [15] of clear sky zenith luminance along with curves for the upper and lower limits of equation 3.5.

 $L_p = SKY LUMINANCE AT POINT p$

h = SOLAR ALTITUDE

 θ = ALTITUDE OF POINT IN THE SKY

 $\Psi = \text{Great circle angle between} \\ \text{Sun and point}$

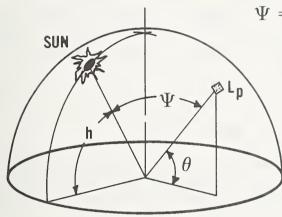


Figure 3.2 Sky dome with angles used in the sky luminance equations (angles in radians)

Table 1. Atmospheric Coefficients According to Dogniaux^[12] (Excluding h³ Term)

		Rural Region Urban Region $\beta = 0.05$ $\beta = 0.10$		-	Industrial Region $\beta = 0.20$		
		a _o	^a 1	a _o	a ₁	a _o	a ₁
Dry Air (Desert	$\omega^* = 0.5$	0.9361	0.0020	1.0329	0.0024	1.1399	0.0030
Climate)	$\omega = 1.0$	0.9093	0.0018	1.0206	0.0022	1.1499	0.0028
	$\omega = 2.0$	0.8727	0.0014	1.0074	0.0019	1.1698	0.0025
	$\omega = 3.0$	0.8547	0.0012	1.0019	0.0017	1.1833	0.0023
	$\omega = 4.0$	0.8460	0.0011	0.999	0.0016	1.1899	0.0022
\ \ 	$\omega = 5.0$	0.8410	0.0011	0.998	0.0016	1.1968	0.0021
Humid Air (Tropical Climate)							

* ω given in centimeters of water

The data is bias toward the lower curve, which is to be expected since the NBS measurement station is in a semi-rural area where the air tends to be somewhat humid. This is confirmed by measurements taken 60 years ago in the same area [16].

The overcast luminance distribution model is based on the simplified Moon and Spencer model [17],

$$L_{p \text{ ovr}} = L_{Z \text{ ovr}} \frac{(1 + 2 \sin \theta)}{3}.$$
 (3.6)

If this equation is integrated across the sky dome to obtain horizontal illuminance $E_{\rm vt}$ from the overcast hemisphere, the resultant integration can be solved for the luminance at angle θ as,

$$L_{\theta} = \frac{3}{7\pi} E_{vt} (1 + 2 \sin \theta)$$
 (3.7)

for which the zenith luminance becomes,

$$L_{z} = \frac{9}{7\pi} E_{vt}$$
 (3.8)

Equations 3.6 and 3.8 are, therefore, combined to provide $L_{p\ ovr}$ as a direct function of E_{vt} under overcast conditions. This approach provides a substantially improved correlation with sky measurements (see chapter 6 on Validation) when compared to methods proposed by others.

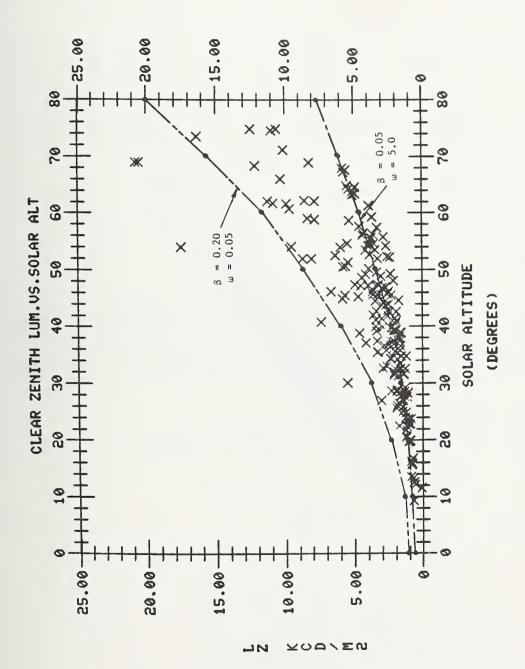


Figure 3.3 Clear sky zenith luminance as a function of solar altitude

3.4 PREDICTING HORIZONTAL ILLUMINANCE

Total and diffuse horizontal illuminance is obtained directly from knowledge of the total and diffuse solar radiation provided from the main program. Here a luminous efficacy approach is taken. Two equations are used,

$$E_{\rm vd} = 111 E_{\rm ed} \tag{3.9}$$

and

$$E_{vt} = (93 + 18 \text{ CR})E_{et}$$
 (3.10)

where

E_{vd} = diffuse horizontal illuminance (lux);

 E_{vt} = total (global) horizontal illuminance (lux);

 E_{ed} = diffuse horizontal solar radiation (W/m^2);

 E_{et} = total (global) horizontal solar radiation (W/m²); and

 $CR = \frac{E_{ed}}{E_{et}}.$

Equations 3.9 and 3.10 were also developed from the NBS measurements shown in figures 3.4 and 3.5. While it is possible to correlate $E_{\rm vt}$ with $E_{\rm et}$ using a single efficiacy value (figure 3.5), it is more useful to express $E_{\rm vt}$ also in terms of the cloud ratio, which gives a smooth, continuous transition into equation 3.8 for CR = 1.00 (where $E_{\rm vd} = E_{\rm vt}$) while also covering more of the range seen in figure 3.5.

3.5 PREDICTING DIRECT BEAM ILLUMINANCE

For predicting the intensity of the direct normal sunlight the following equation is used,

$$E_{DN} = E_{v SC} \left[1 + 0.033\cos\left(\frac{360 \times J}{365}\right) \right] e^{-a/\sin h}$$
 (3.11)

where

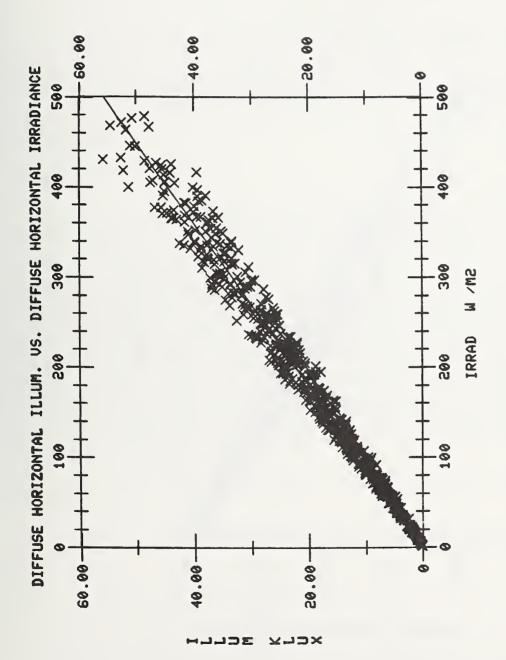
E_{DN} = the direct normal beam illuminance;

 $E_{v SC}$ = the solar illuminance constant;

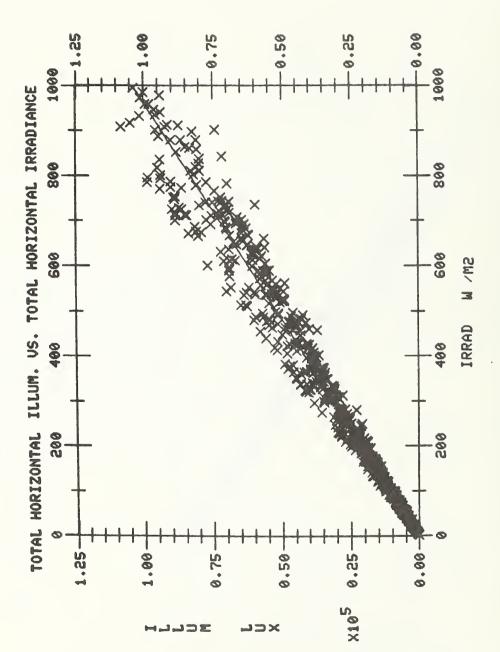
J =the Julian date, from J=1 to J=365;

a = the atmospheric extinction coefficient; and

h = solar altitude.



Diffuse illuminance as a function of diffuse solar radiation Figure 3.4



Total illuminance as a function of total solar radiation Figure 3.5

The value for the mean extraterrestrial illuminance, $E_{V\ SC}$, was obtained by integrating the ASTM [18] standard spectral irradiance as follows:

$$E_{v SC} = K_{M} \int_{380}^{760} V_{\lambda} E_{e\lambda} d_{\lambda}$$
 (3.12)

where

K_M = the IES standard maximum spectral luminous efficiency, 683 lm/W [19];

 V_{λ} = the IES standard spectral photopic eye response; and

 $E_{e\lambda}$ = the ASTM standard spectral irradiance for the wavelength band, d_{λ} .

The resultant value,

$$E_{v SC} = 127.5 \text{ klx}$$

can be thought of as the daylighting equivalent of the solar constant, 1353 w/m^2 . Measurements made both at NBS and elsewhere [20, 21] of the direct beam illuminance (figure 3.8) have been used to determine an average extinction coefficient for equation 3.7 of a = 0.210 for an unobstructed sun.

Others have measured the intensity of the direct beam with similar results [22]. Jones and Condit [20] extrapolated the Kimball and Hand data [16] to derive a zenith sun illuminance of 104.9 klx for the average condition between December and June sun. Moon [23] has also proposed a zenith value, which, when revised to agree with the currently recommended $K_{\rm M}$, gives $E_{\rm DN}$ = 108.1 klx. From equation 3.7 the predicted mean illuminance is 105.3 klx, which agrees with Jones and Condit by within one percent and with Moon by within three percent. Similarly, Elvegard and Sjöstedt [24] fit a curve through their Swedish and Finnish data and reported a constant extinction coefficient of 0.231, a value that would cause the direct solar illuminance to be only slightly lower than predicted for equation 3.10.

The final form of the equation, therefore, for the instantaneous sun illuminance on a horizontal plane becomes,

$$E_{vs} = E_{DN} \cdot \sin h \cdot \xi_{clr}$$
 (3.13)

where,

 E_{vs} = the horizontal solar illuminance;

 ξ_{clr} = the clear sky fraction (see Section 3.2).

The sin h term corrects for the flux on the horizontal plane, and ξ_{clr} corrects for the loss in intensity due to partly cloudy conditions.



4. THE RMLITE ROUTINE

4.1 CAPABILITIES

RMLITE computes the interior illuminances on a horizontal workplane 0.76 m (2.5 ft) above the floor. The cumulative effect of multiple windows or skylights is recorded to give illuminances at user selected points within the room. It should be noted, however, that this routine is room specific and surface specific, meaning that the fenestration must be on one of the room surfaces, and that the illuminance positions must be within a defined room configuration. In some energy programs this might cause problems. For cases where the main energy program is not room specific, simplifications are possible in the RMLITE routine. This is discussed further under Subroutine Interfacing (Appendix C).

4.2 PREDICTING INTERIOR DAYLIGHT ILLUMINANCES

The interior daylight prediction technique is a simplified radiant flux procedure. The fenestration, room surfaces, and exterior surroundings are divided into sufficiently small surface elements where each element is either a primary or secondary source of light with a luminous exitance M*. In the most general case, the expression is:

$$E_{P} = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{f m}^{f} \frac{M \cos \theta \cos \psi}{D^{2}} df dm$$
 (4.1)

for the illuminance E_p from direct light sources above the workplane such as the portion of sky viewed through the fenestration (figure 4.1).

Equation 4.1 can also be used to compute the illuminances on the interior surfaces, which then become sources of secondary or reflected light. The more rigorous lighting computer programs generally make extensive use of radiant transfer [25] to obtain a much more refined solution, but such rigor is not necessary for this type of analysis.

Simplification can be done if the integration is made for generic types of geometric configurations. Using the integrated equations of Higbie [26], and more recently Pierpoint and Hopkins [27], a direct solution can be achieved for equation 4.1 provided the luminance of the surface is assumed uniform. Furthermore, subdividing the room and fenestration surfaces into a minimum number of surfaces further reduces the number of computations. Both strategies are used by the RMLITE routine and, as will be shown, provide a fast, yet in most cases sufficiently accurate daylighting algorithm.

4.3 PREDICTING ILLUMINANCES FROM PRIMARY LIGHT SOURCES

4.3.1 Diffuse Light From Vertical Windows

For the diffuse illuminance from the sky on a horizontal surface due to a vertical window, Higbie's perpendicular surface geometry equation is used,

$$E_{p} = \frac{L}{2} \left[\tan^{-1} \frac{m}{a} - \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{a^{2} + f^{2}}} \right) \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{m}{\sqrt{a^{2} + f^{2}}} \right) \right]$$
 (4.2)

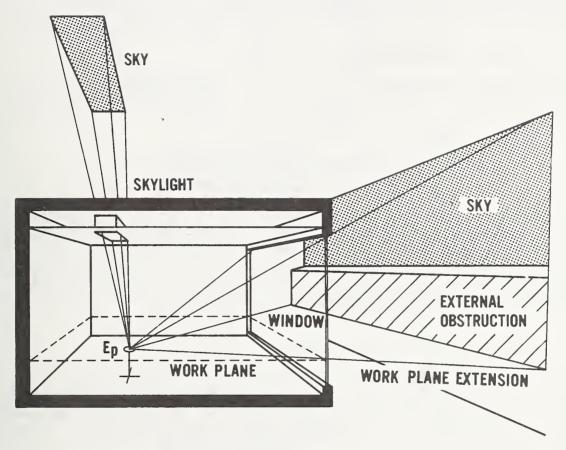
where,

Ep = workplane illuminance at point p;

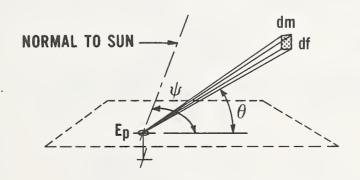
L = centroid luminance of sky patch seen through opening mf; and

a,m,f = distances as shown in figure 4.2.a.

^{*} Luminous exitance can be assumed equal to source luminance if an approximate lambertian surface is assumed; if so, $M = \pi L$, where L is the source luminance.



a) The daylight contributors to the illuminance at point p



b) How the daylight is modeled

Figure 4.1 Predicting the interior illuminance $E_{\rm p}$ at point p

 E_p is given in lux when a, m, and f are in meters and L in nits (cd/m²); E_p is in footcandles when a, m, and f are in feet and L in footlamberts. Lastly, superposition is used to locate this surface element anywhere on the wall.

4.3.2 Diffuse Light From Horizontal Skylights

For the diffuse illuminance from the sky on a horizontal surface due to a horizontal skylight, Higbie's parallel surface geometry equation is used,

$$E_{p} = \frac{L}{2} \left[\frac{f-a}{\sqrt{c^{2} + (a-f)^{2}}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{m}{\sqrt{c^{2} + (a-f)^{2}}} \right) \right]$$
 (4.3)

where the geometry is shown in figure 4.2.b.

The skylight luminance L deserves a special note. For the skylight units with both transparent inner and outer glazing, L is the centroid sky luminance. However, when either outer or inner glazing is translucent, which is normally the case, L becomes the total exterior horizontal exterior illuminance E_{vt} (from sun and sky) multiplied by the net transmittance. The net transmittance includes the transmittance of both glazings, the dome effects, and the wall effects; it can be obtained from Appendix A [28].

4.3.3 Diffuse Light From Clerestories

The direct skylight admitted through the vertical glazing in a clerestory is treated as if coming from a remote vertical window (see 4.3.1), except that checks are made for those illuminance points along the workplane that would be obstructed from view of the clerestory fenestration (figure 4.3). The reflected light from roof and the sky onto the sloped clerestory ceiling is modeled using the Pierpoint and Hopkins equation,

$$E_{P} = \frac{L}{2} \left[\frac{x}{\sqrt{x^{2} + z^{2}}} \tan^{-1} \frac{m \sqrt{x^{2} + z^{2}}}{x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} - ym} \right]$$

$$+ \frac{f \cos \psi - x}{\sqrt{x^{2} + z^{2} + f^{2} + 2fG}} \tan^{-1} \frac{m \sqrt{x^{2} + z^{2} + f^{2} + 2fG}}{x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} - ym + f^{2} + 2fG}$$

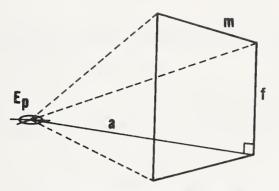
$$+ \frac{y \cos \psi}{\sqrt{y^{2} + H^{2}}} \tan^{-1} \frac{f \sqrt{y^{2} + H^{2}}}{y^{2} + H^{2} + G^{2} + fG}$$

$$- \frac{(y - m) \cos \psi}{\sqrt{(y - m)^{2} + H^{2}}} \tan^{-1} \frac{f \sqrt{(y - m)^{2} + H^{2}}}{(y - m)^{2} + H^{2} + G^{2} + fG} \right]$$

$$(4.4)$$

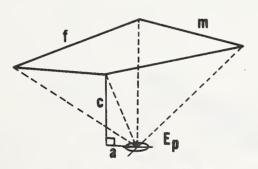
where,

The geometry is illustrated in figure 4.2.c. The luminance in this case is the centroid exitance of the surface, found by the product of the ceiling reflectance and the illuminance at the ceiling centroid.



RIGHT ANGLED SURFACE GEOMETRY (UNIFORM LUMINANCE)

Figure 4.2.a



PARALLEL SURFACE GEOMETRY (UNIFORM LUMINANCE)

Figure 4.2.b

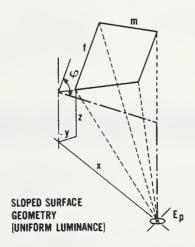


Figure 4.2.c

Figure 4.2 Geometric configurations for equations 4.2 - 4.4

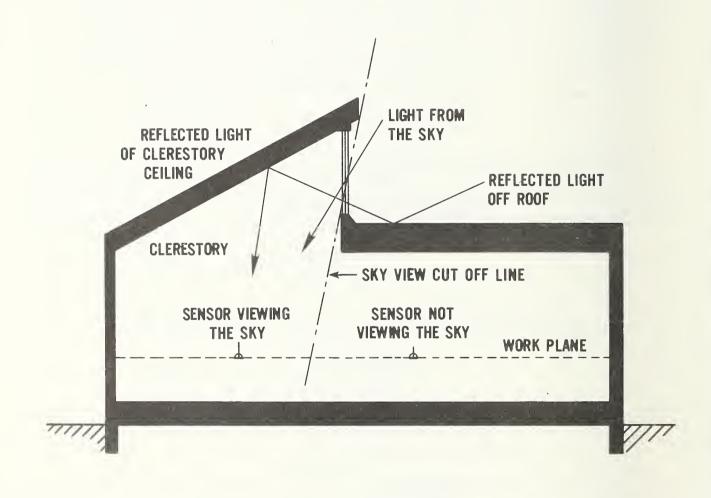


Figure 4.3 Clerestory illuminance technique

4.4 PREDICTING ILLUMINANCES FROM SECONDARY LIGHT SOURCES

4.4.1 Light From External Obstructions

External obstructions, such as surrounding buildings, are modeled as diffuse light sources with a uniform luminance. This luminance is obtained by multiplying the sky luminance for that obstructed region of the sky by the obstruction reflectance $\rho_{\mathbf{X}}$. Geometrically, the obstructions are assumed to be simple vertical projections above the workplane running continuously in the horizontal direction (figure 4.4). It is possible to simulate external obstructions in a more rigorous way, yet because actual size and surface reflectance are rarely (if ever) known, it would be difficult to justify the increased complexity.

4.4.2 Light From the Ground

The ground reflected light is found by first obtaining the uniform ground luminance, which is the product of the total horizontal illuminance, $E_{\rm vt}$, and the ground reflectance. Assuming that the ground surface is an infinite horizontal plane, the parallel surface equation is used to project ground light onto interior horizontal surfaces (the ceiling for example); the perpendicular surface equation is similarly used for vertical wall surfaces.

Light reflected off the roof onto the sloped clerestory ceiling surface is treated in like manner. Here the Pierpoint and Hopkins equation is used to obtain the illuminance at the center of the interior sloped surface due to the sky and the roof, which in turn, is then reflected into the room.

4.4.3 Light Interreflected Within Room

The multiple reflections and interreflections of light flux within a room is normally the most time consuming part of the most large lighting programs. Analytically, it is the most complex. Not only must equation 4.1 be applied for each incremental area within the room due to each source of light, but this must be done repetitively as these areas illuminate to become themselves sources of secondary light. Yet such an approach is necessary only if a rigorous solution is sought.

A simpler technique is to subdivide the room into only a few surfaces, such as the six enclosure surfaces. Obviously, averaging the luminance over these larger surfaces will be a less exact procedure. However, the fraction of the total illuminance due to interreflected light is normally quite low, thus, minimizing the impact on the total illuminance at a given point. Furthermore, due to uncertainties in the correct values for hemispherical-directional reflectance, and noting that internal obstructions on the walls and within the room normally exist, it is difficult to justify substantial time on the interflected light calculation.

In some ways the interreflected model used in RMLITE is similar to the split flux method [29, 30] which subdivides the room into two hemispherical elements, but overcomes one of its weaknesses by being more general and applicable to rooms with fenestration other than windows. The six surface model should also

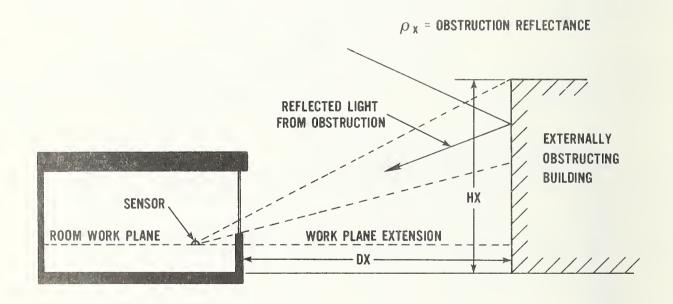


Figure 4.4 Light from external obstructing buildings

be slightly more accurate. Once the initial light flux is determined on each of the six surfaces, multiple interreflections are accounted for by assuming the room acts as an Ulbricht integrating sphere, an assumption that is valid for wall reflectances approaching the ceiling reflectance and room depths less than twice the ceiling height.

Dressler [31] found that if the wall surfaces act as diffuse lambertian reflectors, then the first reflected flux within the room can be expressed as,

$$\Sigma F_{i} = F_{1}\rho_{1} + F_{2}\rho_{2} + \dots + F_{n}\rho_{n}$$
 (4.5)

where F_n is the initial flux on surface n, ρ_n is its diffuse reflectance, and ΣF_i is the sum of the first reflected flux. The multiple reflected flux then becomes,

$$\Sigma F_{i}(1 + \rho_{ave} + \rho_{ave}^{2} + \rho_{ave}^{3} + \dots) = \frac{\Sigma F_{i}}{1 - \rho_{ave}}. \tag{4.6}$$

Since the illuminance of the Ulbricht sphere is total flux over the total area, the interreflected illuminance becomes,

$$E_{\text{ref}} = \frac{(F_1 \rho_1 + F_2 \rho_2 + F_3 \rho_3 + \dots + F_n \rho_n) + F_s \rho_f}{(1 - \rho_{ave}) A_f}$$
(4.7)

where

 $F_n = E_n A_n$ (for each room surface)

 $F_S = E_S A_S$ (for the projected sunlight)

 ρ_f = the reflectance of the floor

 ρ_{ave} = the average reflectance of all surfaces

 A_t = the total area of all surfaces

 A_n = the area of surface n

 A_{S} = the area of the sun patch rhomboid

 $\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{n}}$ = the centroid illuminance of surface n

 $E_{\rm S}$ = the sun patch illuminance from equation 3.13.

The initial centroid illuminance E_n for each surface is found by equations 4.2 through 4.4.

By letting n = 6 and solving equation 4.5, the inter-reflected daylight is obtained in a fraction of the time it would require other more rigorous models.

4.5 PREDICTING DIRECT SUNLIGHT

The model to determine the contribution of direct sunlight is fairly straightforward. The rhomboidal projection of the fenestration on the work-plane is first determined and a check is made whether an illuminance point is within one of these patches of sunlight (figure 4.5). If so, the direct beam illuminance $E_{\rm S}$ is added to the existing workplane illuminance, after being corrected for glazing angle transmittance and cosine angle between the work-plane and the sun.

4.6 MODELING GLAZING TRANSMITTANCE

There are two types of glazing transmittance used, the angular dependent transmittance, τ_D , for direct sunlight, and the hemispherical transmittance τ_d , for diffuse sky light. For flat fenestration the latter is assumed constant. The former, τ_D , varies with the angle between the surface normal and the sun angle, ψ , according to the expression [32],

$$\tau_{\psi} = 1.018 \ \tau_{O} \cos \psi \ (1 + \sin^{3} \psi)$$
 (4.8)

where τ_{O} is the visible transmittance value normally obtained from manufacturer's data.

For domed skylights, the curvature of the upper dome has been found to affect the transmittance of both the direct and diffuse daylight [33]. Although the aspect ratio of the dome, incident angle, and variations in thickness of the glazing material will cause variations in the direct transmittance, τ_D , the range is within approximately 10 percent of τ_O for solar altitudes above 20 degrees [28]. Thus, a single value is used for the direct transmittance. On the other hand, τ_d requires correction for well losses, which combine to give a single effective transmittance, $\tau_{\rm eff}$. While it is possible to incorporate all the transmittance correction factors into the computer model, it is far easier and probably more practical to allow this value to be computed externally (see Appendix A).

4.7 MODELING OVERHANGS AND SIDE FINS

Overhangs and side fins are accounted for by adjusting the effective window area according to the viewing obstruction angle. For overhangs, an effective window height is computed and used as if this were the actual height. Similarly, side fins adjust the window width to provide an effective window size as seen by point p. Since each correction is specific to the illuminance point under consideration, these adjustments are done for each point.

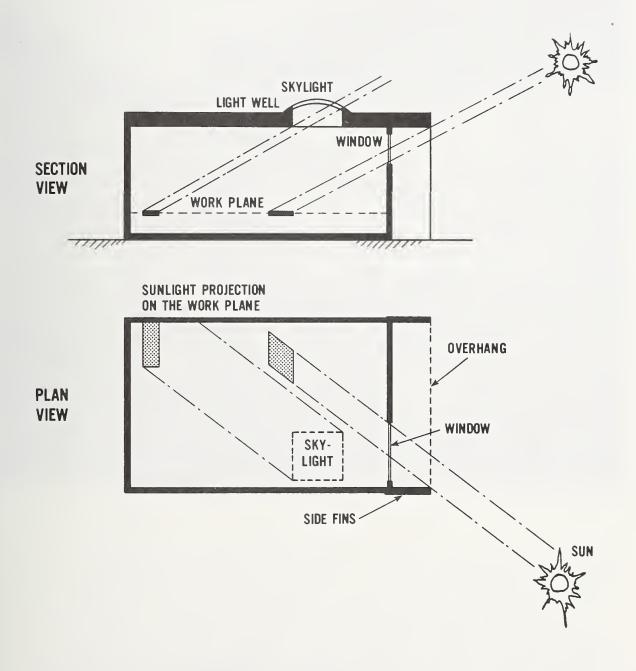


Figure 4.5 Sunlight projection within room

Facing page: Supplementing daylighting with incandescent sources to provide a constant illuminance level.



5. THE LLOAD ROUTINE

Once the illuminance is obtained at a point within the room, it is the lighting load routine LLOAD which developes an associated power load for use in the main building energy program. But a note should be made here. The daylight illuminance at a position on the workplane means nothing in terms of energy unless some type of control system recognizes this intensity and can respond by changing the power requirement of the lighting system. This is usually accomplished through the use of a photocell. The response strategy could be either switching or dimming; and the lighting system sensitive to this point illuminance could be a single luminaire, a bank of luminaires, or all the luminaires within the room. Since photocells are normally not located on the workplane,

it is important to explain that the lighting system must be balanced once installed to meet a specified workplane illuminance and, therefore, the point where balancing is done becomes the illuminance point.

The LLOAD subroutine is not a lighting design tool but an analysis tool. Information must be supplied to the program stating the full lighting power load controlled by each photocell. On so doing, a completely general model is provided for modeling almost any type of lighting layout. Figure 5.1 will help explain this. Ambient and task lighting is shown where three illuminance points control three banks of general illumination, and one controls a task luminaire. As far as the daylighting model is concerned, the only important information necessary is the position directly below the photocell, the full connected power which will respond to the sensor, the setpoint illuminance, and the dimming strategy.

Four dimming strategies are offered. A simple on/off strategy shuts the connected power off once the setpoint illuminance is met by daylight. The second strategy, half-on/half-off step-down, shuts off half the connected power at half the prescribed illuminance, and the remainder after this illuminance is exceeded. The third strategy is a continuous dimming technique where the power is proportionally adjusted to follow a typical performance curve [34,35], but remains at the minimum power level when supplemental light is no longer necessary. The fourth is similar to the third except it allows the luminaires to shut off completely once the minimum power is reached. The continuous dimming strategies assume a simple linear relation between the percent supplemental light, $\%E_{\rm Sup}$, and the percent power required, $\%W_{\rm req}$,

$$%W_{req} = \xi (%E_{sup}) + \chi$$
 (5.1)

where ξ and χ are specified lighting control coefficients. If such coefficients are not available, the following default values are assumed for a generic system,

$$\xi = 0.70$$

 $\chi = 0.30$.

Equation 5.1 is a simplified expression representing the generic curve for the dimming performance of a fluorescent ballast system (figure 5.2). For other types of lamp systems, such as high pressure sodium, appropriate values for ξ and χ can be substituted.

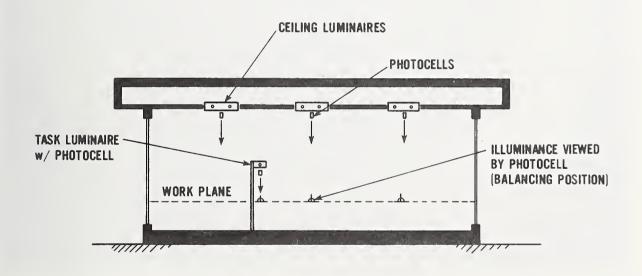


Figure 5.1 Task/ambient and general lighting layouts as viewed by program

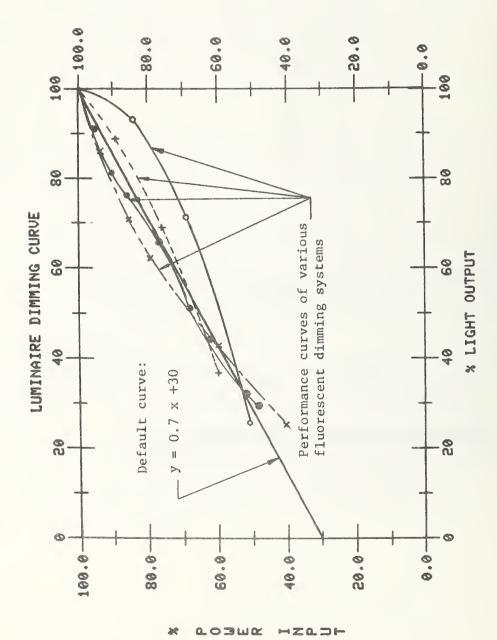
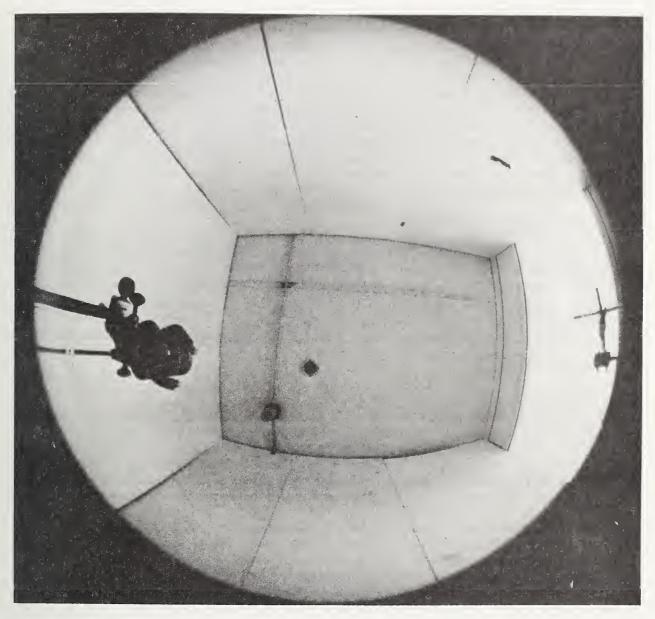


Figure 5.2 Dimming curve of lumminare dimming system used as default along with similar curves of various manufacturers



Caption: Validation measurements within a full scale room

6. VALIDATION

Inherent in any prediction technique is the need for validation against real-case conditions. Although it is sometimes possible to show a sufficient correlation by simply conducting a relative check with field measurements, such simplification can be very misleading. The case is particularly true with the validation of computer models. Some models simulate some conditions better than others, and as with all prediction techniques, the accuracy of the assumptions in the model and the accuracy of the input variables can often remain uncertain. Furthermore, daylighting measurements must be done with extreme care and should be based on a series of like measurements in order to assess the uncertainty of each measured quantity.

To control these characteric uncertainties, evaluating the accuracy of the DALITE model was done in stages, by first carefully establishing the test conditions for comparisons, and then by conducting step-by-step validation of each of the major algorithms used within the program. The sky model was compared against hourly measurements of sky luminance, sky illuminance, and solar radiation; the room illuminance model was compared against measurements made in two full-scale test rooms and in mock-up models; and the lighting load model was checked against laboratory tests of luminaire dimming and step-down performance. Where comparable measurements by others were available, a check with their data was also done. The result is an overall validation, showing both the strengths and weaknesses of the daylighting model.

6.1 VALIDATION OF THE SKY MODEL

SKYLUM, the subroutine that generates the hourly sky luminance, sky illuminance, and direct sun illuminance, was validated against sky measurements made at the National Bureau of Standards in Gaithersburg, MD (latitude 38° 5', longitude 77° 0'). The NBS data were from a series of days taken from more than two years of sky measurements. The reference sky data were selected from measurements known to be correct, and were chosen to provide good hourly data of clear skies, overcast skies, partly cloudy skies, summer conditions, winter conditions, and fall/spring conditions.

6.1.1 Validation of Sky Luminance

There are two basic parts to the sky luminance algorithm that need to be validated: the sky luminance distribution and the zenith luminance. Also, since a phasing technique is used to obtain intermediate sky condition based on the mix between the clear and overcast sky, both the validity of the phasing technique and the modeling of the clear and overcast skies must be substantiated.

The luminance distribution plots are illustrated in figures 6.1 and 6.2 of the clear and overcast skies respectively. Figure 6.1 shows the validity of the clear sky distribution model, particularly for sky regions away from the sun where the sky luminances are below 2,000 cd/m². It should be noted, however, that figure 6.1 is not a validation of the Kittler clear sky equation, but rather a comparison showing the ability this equation has in estimating the luminances in the real (not a standardized) clear sky. Likewise, figure 6.2 represents the correlation of the overcast luminance distribution with measured luminances. The four different symbols represent the 42 degree luminance at the four cardinal orientations. If the sky were perfectly uniform with respect to orientations, the symbols would coincide; and if the distribution matched the simulated distribution perfectly, the plot would fall on the solid line. Given the variableness in instantaneous sky conditions, both distribution models appear to perform reasonably well.

The zenith luminance correlations shown in figures 6.3 and 6.4 plot the sky model's ability to predict the sky luminance at the zenith, which is normally the reference value used to obtain absolute luminances once the luminance distribution is known. Figure 6.3 compares the validity of the clear sky zenith equation while also revealing the stability in the sky conditions. In a

similar way, a general agreement is also illustrated in figure 6.4, but with an expected increase in scatter due in part to the variability of the overcast sky.

6.1.2 Validation of Exterior Horizontal Illuminance

A comparison of calculated exterior horizontal illuminance is shown against comparable measurements in figure 6.5. The data represents a substantial set of measurements for a wide range of sky conditions and cloud type and shows a good linear agreement. The correlation shows agreement both in the clear summer months (above 60,000 lux) as well as the winter months (below 60,000 lux).

6.1.3 Validation of Direct Beam Illuminance

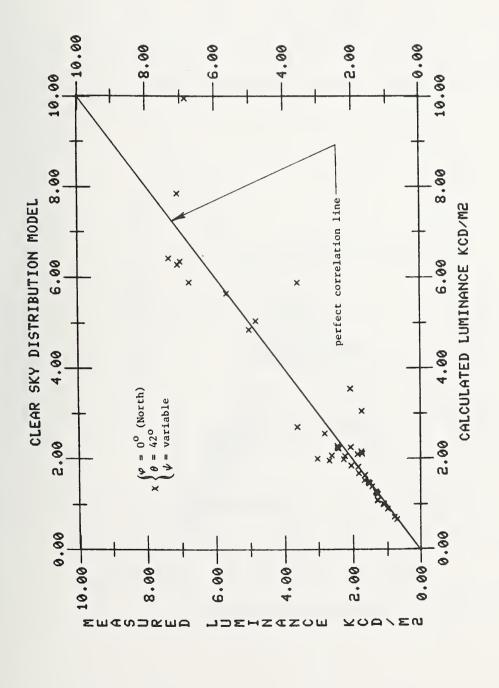
Figure 6.6 is used to validate the direct beam illuminance algorithm. The sunlight algorithm for the winter solstice (Julian date = 321) and summer solstice is compared against measurements made both at NBS and elsewhere within the United States [36]. Unfortunately, much of the data recorded elsewhere was not separated by season, and it appears as though there is a slight seasonal dependence, but this is only a second order affect for lower solar angles. The equation is seen to capture the seasonal variation and exhibits a good fit to the measured data.

6.2 VALIDATION OF THE ROOM ILLUMINANCE MODEL

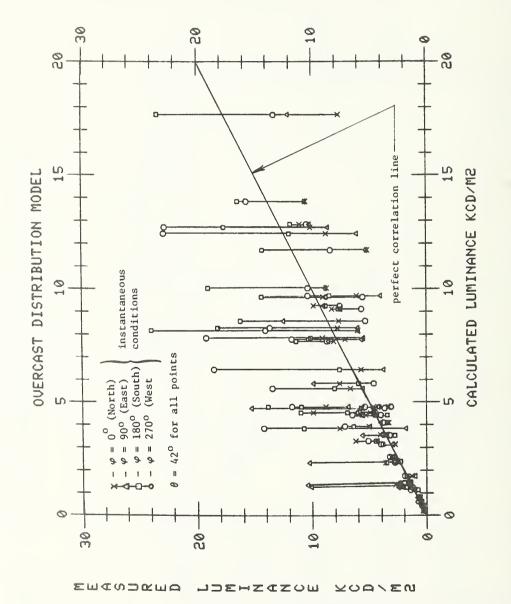
The interior daylight illuminance model was validated using measurements from two full-scale test rooms and two scale-model test rooms. Because the interior prediction routine incorporates all the other subroutines, this validation represents the overall performance of the daylighting program. Furthermore, since the collective set of subroutines can simulate many daylighting scenerios, it was desirable to evaluate several room, fenestration, and sky conditions.

The physical characteristics of the four test rooms used in the validation work are given in figures 6.7 and 6.8. The four rooms provide measurement data for rooms of different dimensions, wall reflectances, and fenestration types and orientations. Although not all possible combinations were explored, the ones illustrated appear representative; scale model measurements facing east and west and with different glazing areas show similar results. The two scalemodels (test room No. 1 and No. 2) and one of the full-scale rooms (test room No. 3) had workplane illuminance recorded each hour along with the other hourly measurements of sky luminance, sky illuminance, and horizontal solar radiation. The fourth test room was instrumented in a slightly different way, with independent measurements taken every five minutes and catalogued according to depth from the fenestration. These latter measurements could be compared to determine the amount of relative uncertainty in the daylighting measurements. Hourly profiles of both calculated and measured illuminance in the scale models are shown in figures 6.9, 6.10, and 6.11 representing the overcast, partly cloudy, and clear sky conditions respectively. All three figures show good agreement for all sky conditions, particularly under the clear and overcast sky. Figure 6.11 also shows the successful modeling of the direct sunlight. In a similar way, hourly values are compared for the full-scale room No. 3, but with a full range of sky conditions (cloud ratios) in figure 6.12.

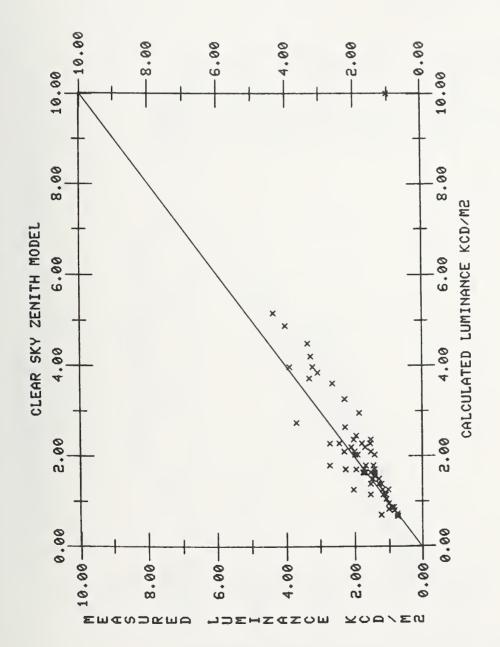
The measurements performed in test room No. 4 were done separately from the others. Special care was taken to obtain precision measurements of instantaneous room and sky conditions and to provide exact input information for the prediction routine. In this way a band of the uncertainty in the data can be noted. Figure 6.13 is an overall comparison plot of all the measurements (excluding the clerestory measurements) for room No. 4 and shows that, in general, the daylight program tends to overpredict slightly at deeper room depths and to underpredict slightly near the fenestration; however, given the uncertainty of each measured quantity, the correlation is still quite good.



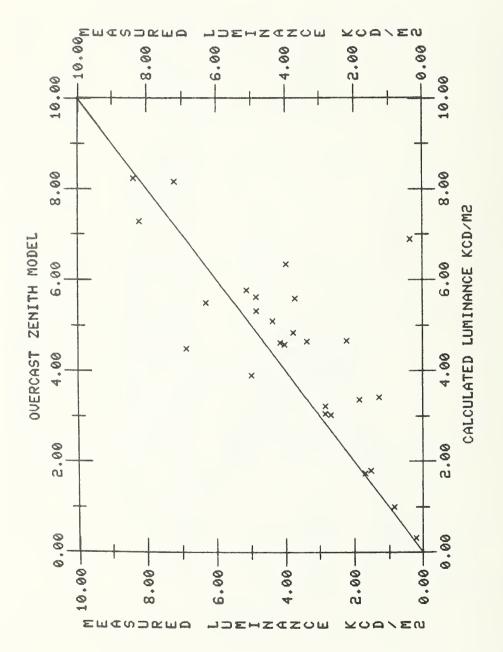
Measured sky luminance versus calculated luminance using the clear sky distribution model Figure 6.1



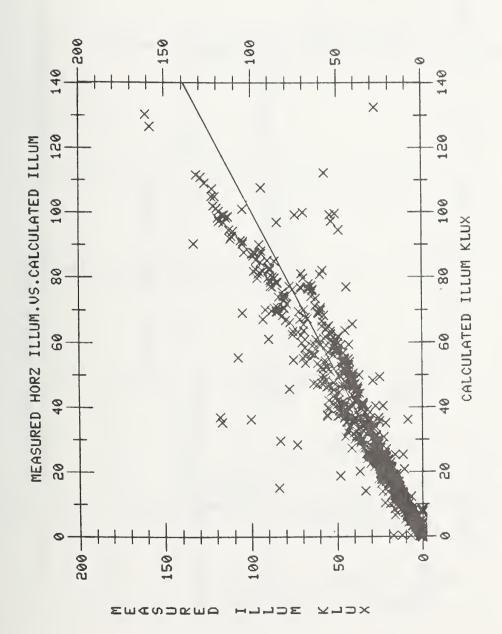
Measured sky luminance verses calculated luminance using the overcast sky distribution model Figure 6.2



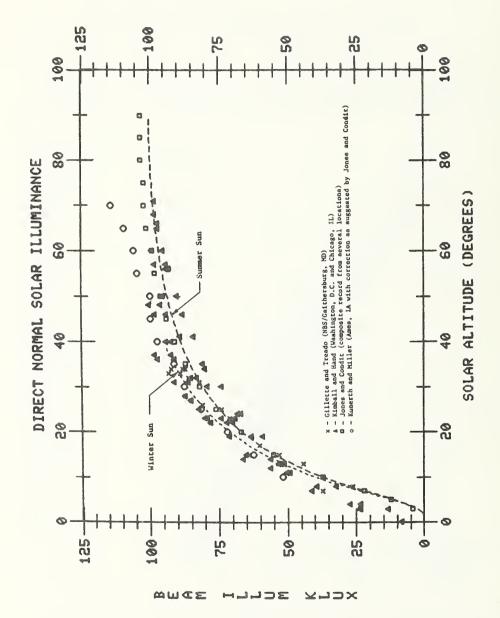
Measured zenith sky luminance verses calculated luminance using the clear sky zenith model Figure 6.3



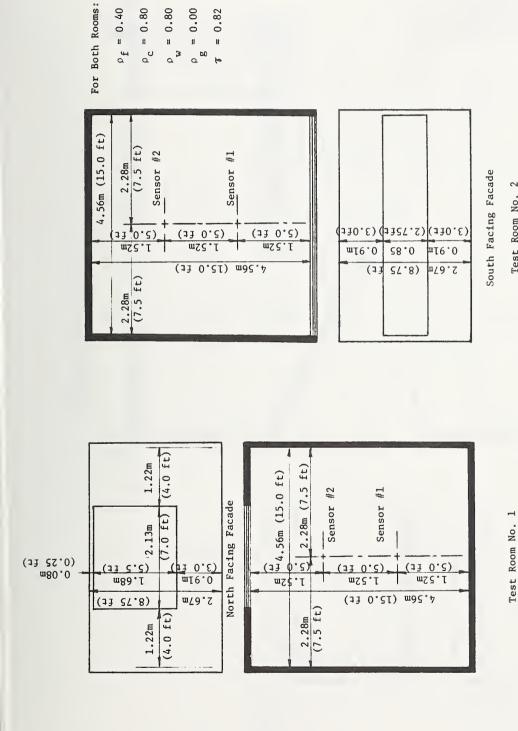
Measured zenith sky luminance verses calculated luminance using the overcast sky zenith model Figure 6.4



Measured horizontal illuminance verses calculated illuminance using the sky illuminance model for all sky types Figure 6.5



Comparison of measured sunlight illuminance with predicted illuminance of direct sunlight Figure 6.6



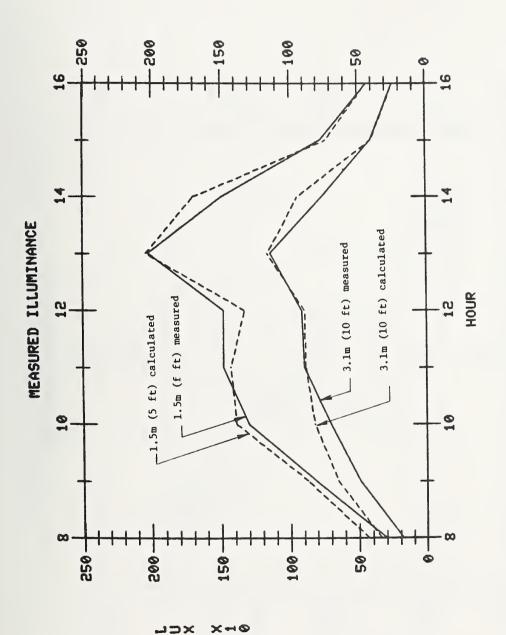
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1.0 inch = 1.0 ft Model Scale:

Test Room No.

Figure 6.7 Description of scale model test rooms

Figure 6.8 Description of full scale test rooms



Hourly interior daylight illumination for an overcast day in room no. I (north fenestration) Figure 6.9

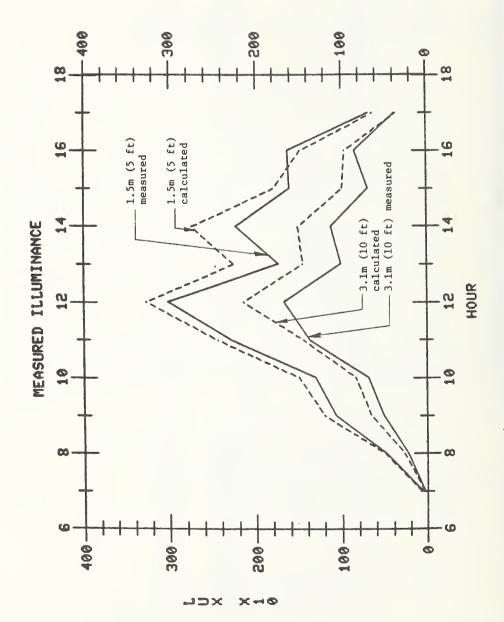
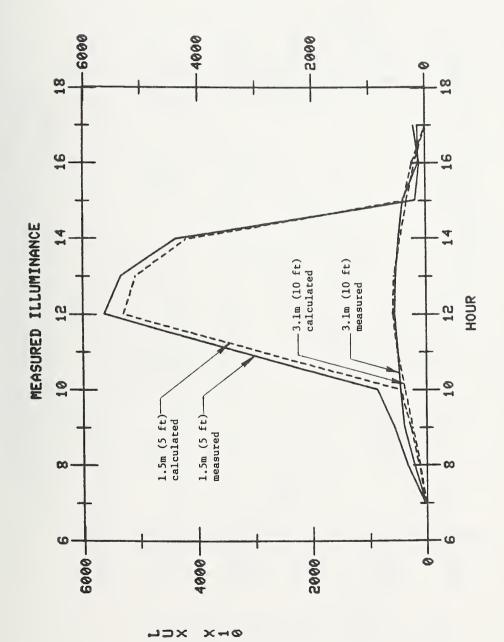
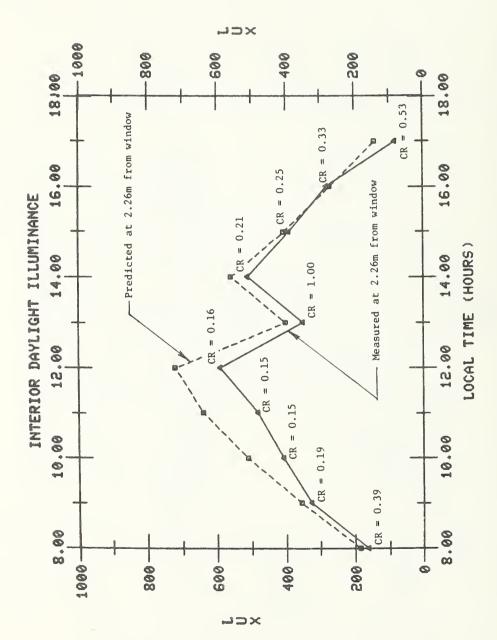


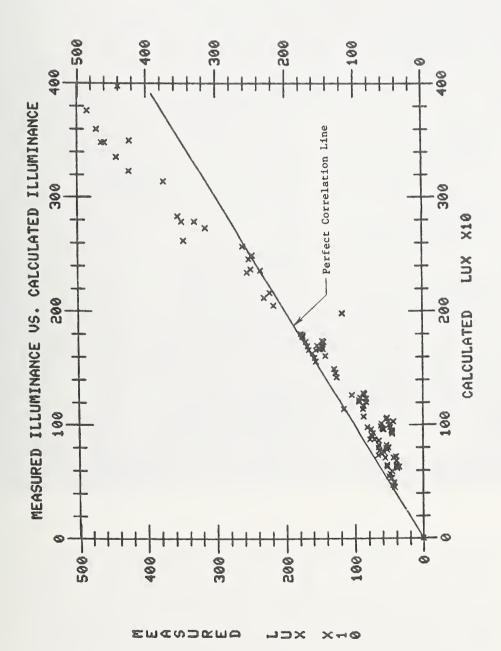
Figure 6.10 Hourly interior daylight illumination for a partly cloudy day in room no. 1 (north fenestration)



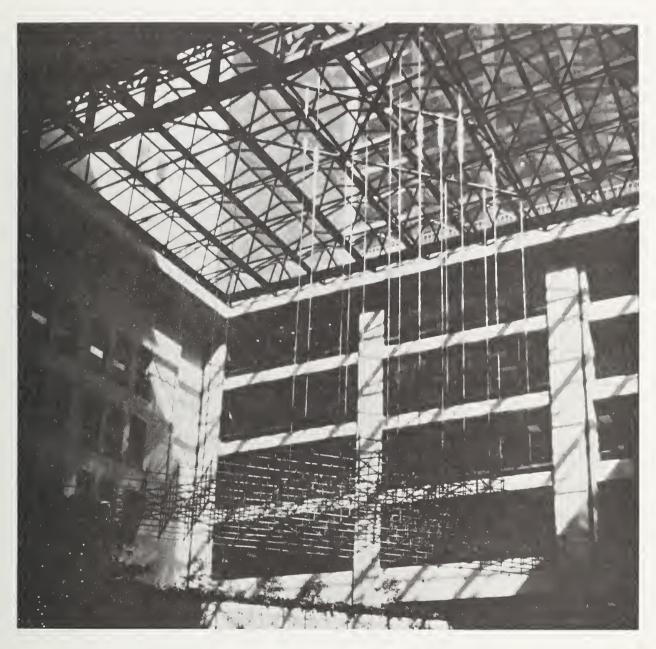
Hourly interior daylight illumination for a clear day in room no. 2 (north fenestration) Figure 6.11



Hourly interior daylight illumination for several sky conditions in room no. 3 (north fenestration) Figure 6.12



illumination in room no. 4 (for south facing windows only) Collective plot of measured versus calculated interior Figure 6.13



7. CONCLUSIONS

A small computer model has been developed for inclusion into larger building energy simulation programs for studying the hourly energy impact of daylighting in buildings. The model is computationally fast in computer time, yet can accommodate a variety of fenestration designs and electric light dimming strategies. The model uses solar radiation and sun position data for estimating outdoor daylighting conditions, and these data are currently available in the existing hourly energy simulation programs. Although the model is streamlined for its particular application, it still simulates field conditions reasonably well, usually well within 30 percent including uncertainties in both the sky and room prediction models. It should easily fit into most building energy

programs written in Fortran 77. With its modular structure, revisions and expansions to the original model can be accomplished easily. Its modular design also lends itself to micro and mini-computer applications either as part of a small-scale energy simulation model, or as a stand alone daylighting program.

Other strengths of the DALITE model include the streamlined simulation of skylights, sloping clerestores, and vertical windows, and the capability to simulate a full range of sky conditions. Validation efforts have shown the program to perform well when compared against actual daylighting measurements under real sky conditions for a variety of room and sky senerios.

The limits of the DALITE modle include the restriction to rectangular room geometries and simplified fenestration appendages such as overhangs and side fins. While exterior louvers can be modeled as multiple minute overhangs, this technique is not always best. Further research work is therefore suggested in modeling exterior appendages, particularly with respect to specular reflections.

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APPENDIX A: DETERMINING EFFECTIVE SKYLIGHT TRANSMITTANCE

To obtain a realistic estimate of the daylighting performance of a skylight, it is necessary to provide an appropriate value for the effective (net) skylight transmittance. This effective transmittance is a composite correction for doming effects, well losses, mullion factors and sun control devices. While only an abbreviated discussion is provided here, further reference is made to the Reference Volume of the IES Lighting Handbook.[28]

The effective direct transmittance τ_D and diffuse transmittance τ_d of a horizontal skylight can both be expressed as,

$$\tau_{c} = \tau \times \eta_{W} \times \tau_{m} \times \tau_{c} \tag{A.1}$$

where,

 τ_c = the effective transmittance

 τ = the combined glazing transmittance

 n_w = the well efficiency

 τ_m = the mullion correction factor

 τ_c = the correction factor for louvers or other solar control.

The combined transmittance of a double domed (two layer) skylight is found by,

$$\tau = \frac{\tau_0 \tau_i}{1 - \rho_{bo}\rho_{ti}} \tag{A.2}$$

where,

 τ_0 = the transmittance of the outer dome

 τ_i = the transmittance of the inner dome

Pho = the reflectance of the bottom side of the outer dome

Pti = the reflectance of the top side of the inner dome.

To represent the effects of doming the skylight, which causes the thickness of the skylight to vary across the domed surface, a third equation can be used. [28]

$$\tau_{\text{dome}} = 1.25 \ \tau_{\text{FS}} \ (1.18 - 0.416 \ \tau_{\text{FS}})$$
 (A.3)

where

Tdome = the integrated glazing transmittance for the domed surface

 τ_{FS} = the flat sheet transmittance of acrylic (as normally given by the manufacturer).

The well efficiency is obtained by figure A.l. The well index used in the figure can be found by the equation,

$$WI = \frac{h (w + 1)}{2 w 1} \tag{A.4}$$

where,

h = the well height
w = the well width
l = the well length

By computing the appropriate factors and solving equation A.l, the effective transmittances for diffuse and direct light can be provided for input into the skylight algorithm.

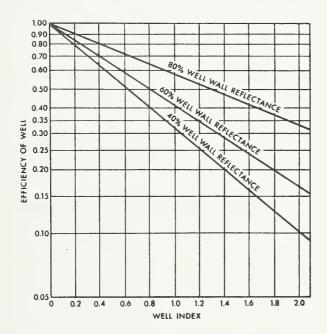


Figure A.1 Well efficiency $\eta_{\mbox{\scriptsize W}}$ as a function of a well index and well reflectance

(from the 1981 Reference Volume of the I.E.S. Lighting Handbook, p. 9-86, used with permission)



APPENDIX B: DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES

The following is a listing of all the important variables used within the DALITE program, including both I/O variables "seen" by the user and variables used internally. It should be noted that although it is possible to adapt the program for use in computer models that use SI units, the I/O is here given in English units for compatibility in most of the existing energy programs currently available. A conversion table to SI unit is given on page vi.

A = total surface area of interior room surfaces (square feet)

AZM = azimuth angle of the building off the cardinal axis, clockwise from north (degrees)

AZS = difference in azimuth angle between the surface perpendicular and the azimuth of the sun (degrees)

ANG = solar profile angle from horizon (radians)

ANGL1 = azimuth angle sensor makes with right edge of window (degrees)

ANGL2 = azimuth angle sensor makes with left edge of window (degrees)

ANGL3 = ANGL1 referenced to true north (degrees)

ANGL4 = ANGL2 referenced to true north (degrees)

AW = distance from ceiling to top of window (feet)

BCF = Basic Configuration Factor - general sloping case

BCFS = Basic Configuration Factor - parallel surface (skylight) case

BCFW = Basic Configuration Factor - perpendicular window case

BETA = atmospheric turbidity coefficiency (β)

CC = length of sloped clerestory ceiling (feet)

 $CHI(\chi)$ = constant offset dimmer control coefficient (default is 0.30)

CR = cloud ratio; ration of diffuse to total horizontal solar radiation.

CRL = ceiling reflected light coefficient.

CNFLX = ceiling flux coefficient; for reflected light off clerestory

DAYLT = daylight illuminance array for "n" number of sensors (footcandles)

DAYLTE = daylight illuminance of sensor under consideration (footcandles)

- DILL = maintained design illuminance at the photocell (footcandles)
- DIM = dimmer type:
 - 1 on/off switch or relay
 - 2 two level step-down; half off at half load, full off at full load.
 - 3 continuous dimming
 - 4 continuous dimming with shut-off
- DP = depth of photocell from fenestration; for skylights & clerestories, distance from bottom of fenestration to workplane (feet)
- DS1 = horizontal depth of sun's projection within room due to upper edge of window - see figure B2 (feet)
- DS2 = horizontal depth of sun's projection within room due to lower edge of window - see figure B2 (feet)
- DW = depth of skylight well (feet)
- EX = extraterrestrial illuminance of the sun (footcandles)
- FLUX1 = first reflected flux coefficient for surface containing the fenestration
- FLUX2 = first reflected flux coefficient for left surface with respect to fenestration
- FLUX3 = first reflected flux coefficient for surface opposite fenestration
- FLUX4 = first reflected coefficient for right surface with respect to fenestration
- FLUX5 = first reflected flux coefficient for the ceiling
- FP = fin projection from the fenestration (feet), two fins are assumed on either side of fenestration
- GAMMA = angular great circle distance between the sun and the specified point in the sky (radians)
- GRDLIT = exterior horizontal illuminance incident on the ground (footcandles)
- GRL = ground reflected coefficient
- H = height of fenestration (feet)
- Hl = height distance from fenestration to bottom of wall surface (feet)

- H2 = height distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)
- H3 = height distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)
- H4 = height distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)
- H5 = height distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)
- HH = height distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)
- HH1 = height distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)
- HH2 = height distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)
- HH3 = height distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)
- HH4 = height.distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)
- HH5 = height distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)
- HX = height of external obstruction above the workplane (feet)
- HC = height of clerestory projection above ceiling plane (feet)

 HC is negative if clerestory is sloped, positive if roof monitor (\$\phi=0\$)
- JUL = Julian date from 1 (January 1) to 365 (December 1)
- L = length of skylight (feet)
- L1 = length distance from room reference to skylight reference (feet)
- L2 = length distance as shown in figure B.4 (feet)
- L3 = length distance as shown in figure B.4 (feet)
- LLOAD = incremental instantaneous lighting load due to single phototcell and single aperature (kilowatts)

LOAD = full connected lighting load associated with each photocell, including ballast losses (kilowatts)

LS1 = length distance from room reference to near edge of sunlight patch from skylight on workplane (feet)

LS2 = length distance from room reference to far edge of sunlight patch from skylight on workplane (feet)

M = mullion correction factor; the fractional loss in transmittance due to mullions and glazing bars

NA = number of aperatures within room

NL = number of luminare switch/dimmers within room

OMEGA = atmospheric water vapor content in centimeters of water (ω)

OP = horizontal overhang projection from the fenestration (feet)

PHASE = percentage of clear sky luminance and sun illuminance available

PHI = in the SUNN subroutine the vertical profile angle of the sun-see figure B.2 (radians); in the DL subroutine the slope of the clerestory from the horizontal (radians)

PL = position of photocell along the length direction from the room reference (feet)

PSI = complement angle of PHI; the slope of the clerestory from the zenith (radians)

PSL = percentage of supplemental light necessary (decimal)

PW = position of photocell along the width direction from the room reference (feet)

RAVE = average reflectance of all interior room services (decimal)

RCN = reflectance of the ceiling (decimal)

RFL = reflectance of the floor (decimal)

RG = reflectance of the ground immediately outside the fenestration (decimal)

RL = apparent room length as seen by the particular fenestration (feet)

RHM = room height (feet)

RML = interior room size in length direction (feet)

= room number (just an identifier) RMN RMW = interior room size in width direction (feet) = roof reflectance immediately outside clerestory (decimal) RRF RRL = roof reflected light coefficient RW = apparent room width as seen by the particular fenestration (feet) = reflectance of the interior wall surfaces (decimal) RWL RX = average reflectance of external obstruction (decimal) SIDLIT = total exterior vertical illuminance on window surface (footcandles) SKYLIT = sky illuminance at fenestration centroid (footlamberts) = surface number of fenestration: SN l - if north facing 6 - if clerestory north facing 2 - if east facing 7 - if clerestory east facing 3 - if south facing 8 - if clerestory south facing 4 - if west facing 9 - if clerestory west facing 5 - if ceiling/roof = sunlight coefficient SNL SRD = diffuse horizontal solar radiation (Btu/S.F-hr.) = total horizontal solar radiation (Btu/S.F-hr.) SRT SUMFLX = sum of the interior surface flux coefficients SUNALT = solar altitude above horizon (degrees) SUNAZ = solar azimuth clockwise from north (degrees) SUNBM = solar beam illuminance direct normal (footcandles) SUNFLX = sun flux coefficient SUNLIT = the horizontal illuminance due to beam sunlight (footcandles) SURFAZ = azimuth angle from surface normal clockwise to true north (degrees) = average visible transmittance of glazing (including a maintenance T factor)

THETA = altitude angle between the window centroid and the photocell (degrees)

TNX = angular visible transmittance, accounting for angle of incidence

W = width of fenestration (feet)

W1 = width distance of window or skylight from surface reference (feet)

W2 = width distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)

W3 = width distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)

W4 = width distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)

W5 = width distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)

W6 = width distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)

W7 = width distance as shown in figure B.3 (feet)

WA = window area (square feet)

WC = width of clerestory opening (feet)

WCl = width distance of clerestory opening from room reference (feet)

WINAZ = viewing azimuth angle between photocell position (at work plane) and window/skylight centroid; clockwise from north (degrees)

WP = width distance of photocell with respect to surface reference - see
 figure B.3 (feet)

WS1 = width distance of near edge of skylight sun projection from room reference at workplane (feet)

WS2 = width distance of far edge of skylight sun projection

WX = depth of skylight well from ceiling to fenestration (feet)

XDL = direct skylight coefficient

 $XI(\xi)$ = linear dimmer control coefficient

XIRL = internally reflected light coefficient

XERL = externally reflected light coefficient

ZLUM = zenith sky luminance (footlamberts)

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Figure B.l Input/output array

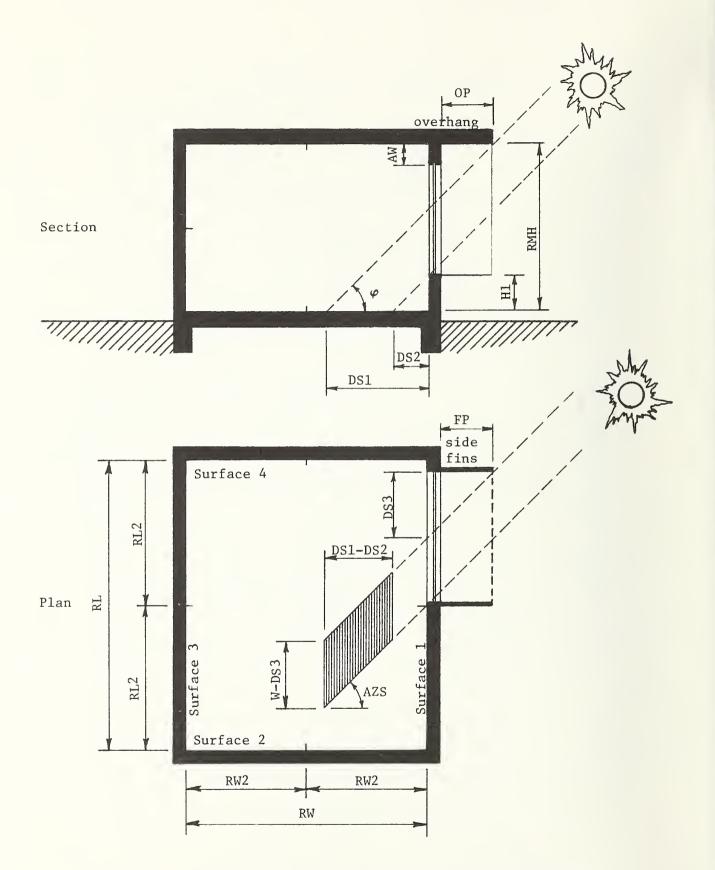


Figure B.2 Room coordinates defined with respect to glasing surface in IRL subroutine

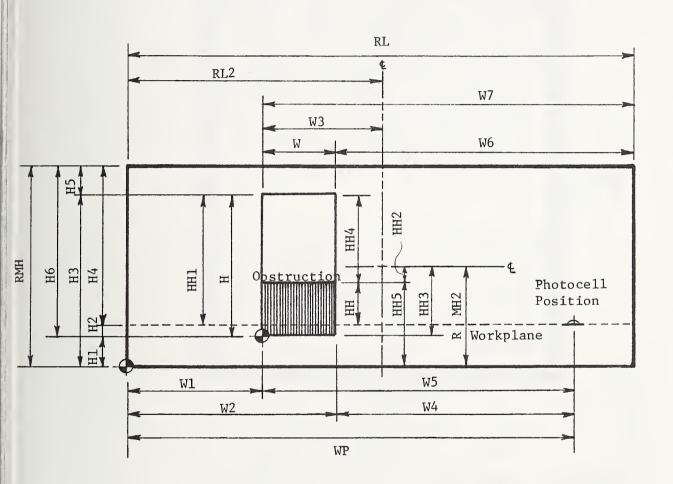


Figure B.3 Wall surface dimensions used internally in the DALITE program

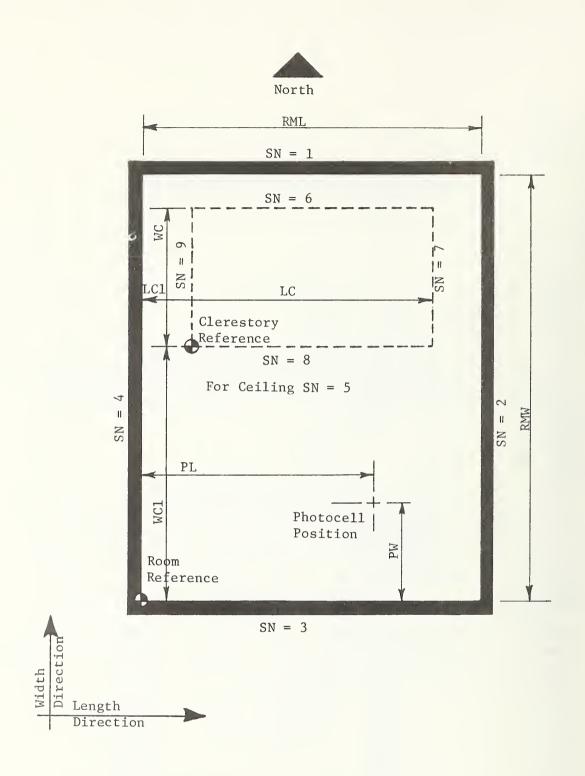


Figure B.4 Surface numbering sequence and clerestory reference variables

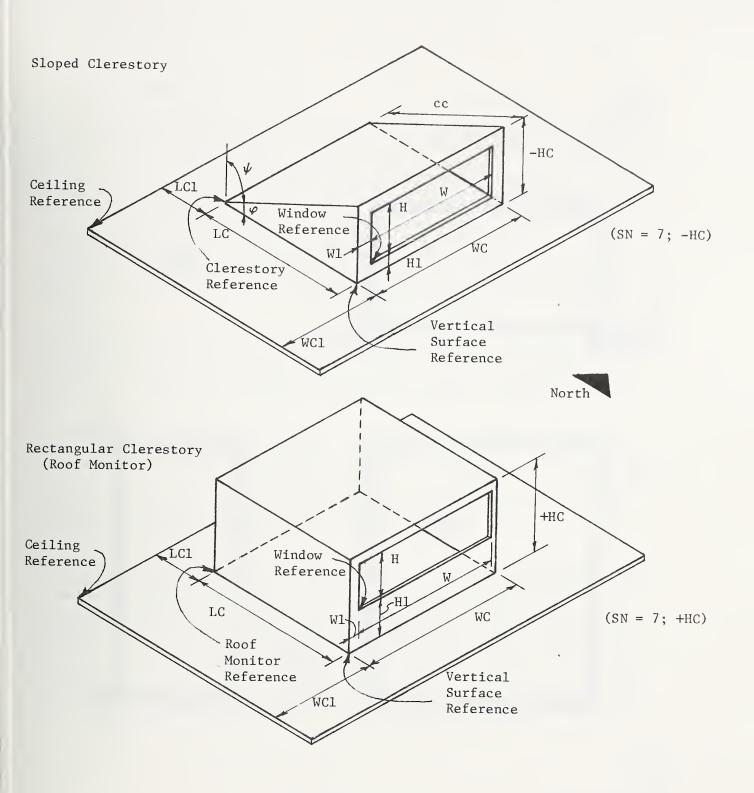


Figure B.5 Clerestory coordinates

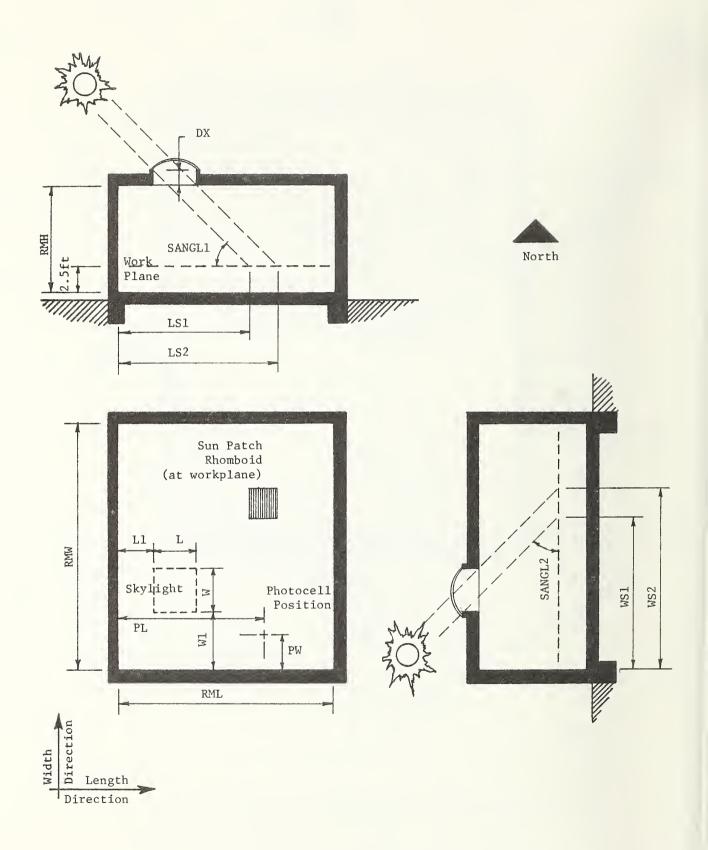


Figure B.6 Sun projection variables for skylights

APPENDIX C: SUBROUTINE INTERFACING

Interfacing the DALITE subroutines with an existing FORTRAN program is accomplished by changes at two locations in the main program. The first is at initialization. Here the common block for the two input/output arrays and the dimensioning of the other internal arrays are assigned (figure C.1). Here also READ statements are given, following the array declarations, where the building and component characteristics are defined for the daylighting I/O array along with the other building characteristic assignments. Such READ statements may be provided either through a pre-processor or through various statements within the main program. At this point the room, aperature, and photocell information is assigned within the ZLITE array (see figure B.1) where it will be called later by the various daylighting subroutines during execution.

The second revision is done inside the hourly (or other time step) loop. Here input assignments are given for each hourly set of sky conditions preceeding the CALL statement for the daylighting analysis. Daylighting output information is then passed from the DALITE subroutine to the main program via the ZLITE array, where it is used as a part of the hourly load compiliation.

The adjusted electric load (WLAMP) and the exterior horizontal illuminance (FCDAY) are the normal output values. However, illuminance at each sensor position is also accessible from the array DAYLT (n), n being the sensor number. Further output information, such as wall luminances, luminance ratios, and the like can also be obtained, but program revisions would be necessary; normally such data would be too exhaustive to include in an energy simulation, and was therefore not specified as part of the normal output.

Since the daylighting interreflection routine is room-specific and models a rectangular room geometry, a few revisions may be necessary for programs that do not prescribe set room dimensions or for cases where the assumption of a rectangular room is invalid. Two options are possible. The first is to approximate an equivalent (or effective) room height, width, and depth for the enclosed volume. The second option is to leave out the room geometry and surface reflections altogether, which would avoid the calculation of any interreflected light. This latter option is a good one when there is substantial uncertainty in the room configuration; this option is conservative, yet not excessively so since interreflected light is normally a small fraction of the total.

```
PARAMETER NNN=30
                                           PARAMETER LLL=10
               Array declarations
                                           PARAMETER MMM=LLL+NNN+2
                                           DIMENSION COEF(NNN, LLL), SURFAZ(9), WINAZ(NNN, LLL),
                                          *THETA(NNN, LLL), WP(NNN, LLL), DP(NNN, LLL)
                                           COMMON /DD/ZLITE(MMM, 12).DAYLT(LLL)
                                     C
                                     CC
                                            READ DAYLIGHTING INPUT DATA
                                                                    (ZLITE(1,J),J=5,11)
                                            READ(5,1460)
                                            ITEST=0
                                            READ (5,1466)(ZLITE(II.K),K=1,12)
                                            LN=ZLITE(1,11)+32
                                           READ (5.1460)((ZLITE(I.J),J=1.7),I=33,LN)
      Hourly loop for thermal loads
Solar loads are done here within the
 main program
                                           DAYLIGHTING CALCULATIONS
                                                                    PINIT FOR NON-DAYLIGHT.
                                           WLAMP = O
                                           ZLITE(33,12)=QSOL(NK)+0.2931+111.
                                                                                    OFC
                                           DO 722 I=33,42
                                     722
                                           WLAMP=WLAMP+ZLITE(1,5)
                                           IF(QLITX(NK.JJ).EQ.O.) GO TO 725
IF(SALT(NK).LE.O.) GO TO 725
                                           IF((ZLITE(33,1).EQ.O.).OR.(ZLITE(33,4).EQ.O.))GO TO 725
                                           WLAMP=O.
                                                                    PINIT FOR DAYLIGHTING CALCS
                                           ZLITE(1,1) =HT
                                           ZLITE(1,2) =L
                                           ZLITE(1,3) = W
                                           ZLITE(1,4) = IROT
                                           ZLITE(1,12)=IJKLMN
                                                                    @ROOM NUMBER
                                           ZLITE(2,1)=SALT(NK)
                                                                    @SOLAR ALTITUDE (DEGREES)
                                           ZLITE(2,2)=180+SAZM(NK)@SOLAR AZIMUTH
                                                                                     (DEGREES)
Hourly initialization of solar loads
                                                                    CDIFFUSE SOLAR HORIZONTAL
                                           ZLITE(2,3)=XIDFHC
                                                                    OTOTAL SOLAR HORIZONTAL
                                           ZLITE(2,4)=QSOL(NK)
                                           ZLITE(2,8)=ND
                                                                    QUULIAN DATE
                                           ITEST=ITEST+1
                                                                    PLOOP COUNTER TEST
                                           NA =NNN
                                                                    ONUMBER OF APERTURES (MAX)
                                           NL =LLL
                                                                    PNUMBER OF LUMINAIRE CONTROLS (MAX)
                                     C
                                           CALL DALITE(COEF, SURFAZ, WINAZ, THETA, WP, DP, NA, NL, ITEST)
                                     C
                                           DO 724 I=33,42
                                           WLAMP=WLAMP+ZLITE(I,11)
                                                                         PADJUSTED LIGHT LOAD (KW)
                                      724
                                           CONTINUE
                                           FCDAY(NK)=ZLITE(33,12) PEXTERIOR HORZ. ILLUMINANCE (FC)
                                           QLITE(NK)=((QLITY+AG)+(WLAMP+1000))+(QLITX(NK,JJ)+3.412+NOFLR)
                                     725
      Continuation of thermal loads
```

Figure C.1 Program interfacing

Variable	Variable*	Variable
Name	Specification	Limits
RMH	REAL	None
RML	REAL	None
AZM	REAL	Minimum = 0.; Maximum = 360.
RCN	REAL	Must be decimal fraction less then 1.00
RWL	REAL	Must be decimal fraction less then 1.00
RFL	REAL	Must be decimal fraction less then 1.00
RG	REAL	Must be decimal fraction less then 1.00
RX	REAL	Must be decimal fraction less then 1.00
NA	REAL (Assigned)	Limit is number used in NNN parameter statement
NL	REAL (Assigned)	Limit is number used in LLL parameter
		statement
RMN	REAL	NONE
SUNALT	REAL	IF SUNALT < 5., SUNLIGHT = 0.
SUNAZ	REAL	NONE
SRD	REAL	SRD must be < SRT
SRT	REAL	NONE
BETA(β)	REAL	Allowable values for β are 0.05,0.10, & 0.20
OMEGA(ω)	REAL	Allowable values for ω are 1.0, 2.0, 3.0 4.0, & 5.0
JUL	REAL (Assigned)	Minimum = 0.; Maximum = 365.

^{*} Format is arbitrary and depends only on the format specified in the READ statement of the main program.

Figure C.2 Input variable specifications for room and sky data

Variable	Variable*	Variable								
Name	Specification	Limits								
W	REAL	None								
Н	REAL	None								
L	REAL (Assigned)	None								
H1	REAL	None								
L1	REAL (Assigned)	None								
W1	REAL	None								
T	REAL	Must be decimal fraction less then 1.00								
M	REAL	Must be decimal fraction less then 1.00								
HX	REAL	None								
WC1	REAL	None								
DX	REAL	None								
SN	REAL	Minimum = 1.; Maximum = 9.								
OP	REAL	NONE								
WC	REAL	Must be > W + Wl								
AW	REAL	NONE								
LC	REAL (Assigned)	NONE								
FP	REAL	NONE								
HC	REAL	Must be > H + H1								
PW	REAL	If PW = 0., DAYLIGHT contribution is								
		assumed zero.								
PL	REAL	NONE								
DILL	REAL	NONE								
DIM	REAL	Allowable values are 1., 2., 3., & 4.								
LOAD	REAL (Assigned)	NONE								
XI	REAL	Must be decimal fraction less than 1.00								
CHI	REAL	Must be decimal fraction less than 1.00								

^{*} Format is arbitrary and depends only on the format specified in the READ statement of the main program.

Figure C.3 Input variable specifications for fenestration data

Variable	Variable*	Variable					
Name	Specification	Limits					
DAYLTE	REAL	None					
LOADX	REAL (Assigned)	None					
GRDLIT	REAL	None					
DAYLT(n)	REAL	None					

^{*} Format is arbitrary and depends only on the format specified in the READ and WRITE statements of the main program.

Figure C.4 Output variable specifications



APPENDIX D: SAMPLE RUN

SAMPLE RUN OF A BUILDING DAYLIGHTED WITH CLERESTORIES

Location: Washington, D.C. Latitute = 38° 5'N Longitude = 77° 0'W

Fenestration: Three north facing clerestories

Lighting Control: Five banks of fluorescent luminaires at 1.25 KW each continuous dimming (50 fc minimum illuminance)

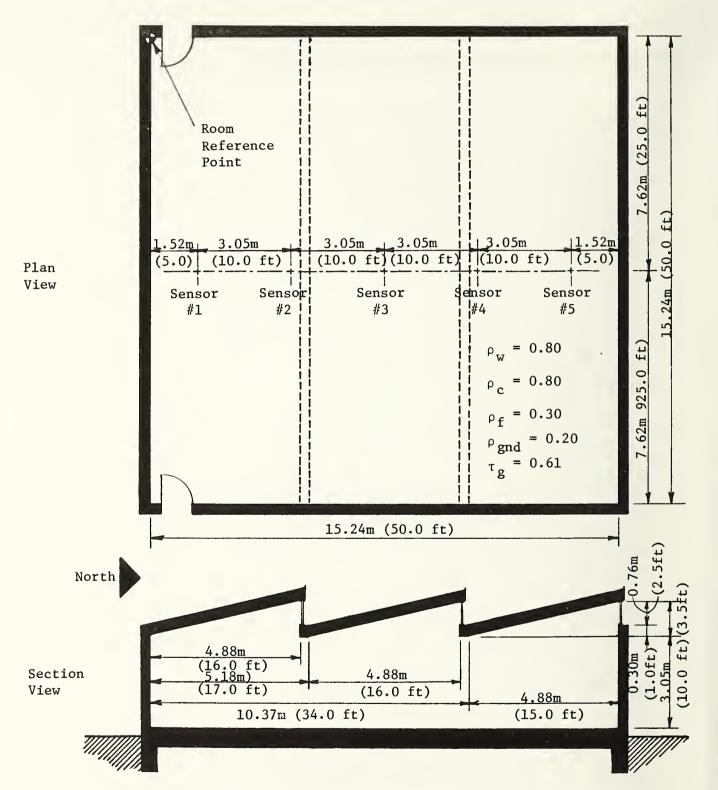
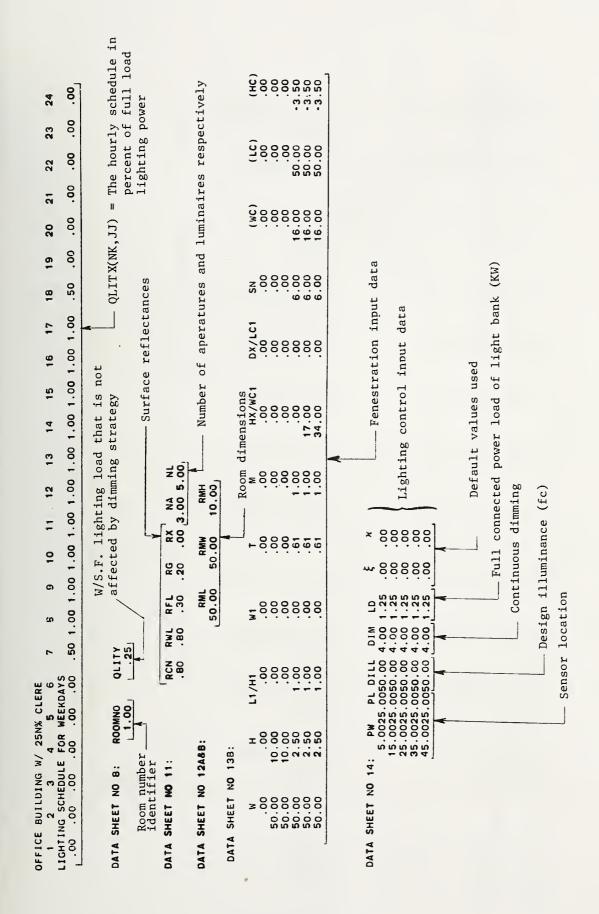


Figure D.1 Sample Building



igure D.2 Input from main energy simulation program

ZLITE array input for sample problem: snapshot for a specified hour

	888	200	000	888	•••••		02	000	02	000	8	00
		6,6,6		• •			8529.	8033.	8033.	•	• •	15.00
	5.00	\$0.00 \$0.00		888	erved T		. 68	1.06	.62	8.6	8	88
	3.00	16.00	8.0	888	Space reserved for output	·	179.80	27.09 10.60	36.23	88	8	000
	800	00.9	8.8	888			88	88	8	8.5	8	% .
	231.00	888	0.0	888		;	8.8	8.8	00.	8.8	00.	0. 0 .
Julian date	1	17.00	00.	888	}		8.8.	8.8	.00	88	00.	8. 8
Ju1	. 80 5 . 00	00.1	0.0	8.8.8	•••••	•	8.8.	8. 8	.00	e 8	00.	<u>00</u>
	8. 30. 00.	19.	0.00	8.8.9			1.25	1.25	1.25	8 8	00.	8.6
	288.12	888	00.00	888		00	. 4	4.4 6.6	4.00	8.8	00.	0.0
	34.00	888	8.8	665			50.00	50.00 50.00	50 .00	8.8	00.	8. 8
	50 .00 206.17	2.50	000	888		00	25.00	25.00 25.00	25.00	8. 8 .	8.	6 .6.
	10.00	50.00	000	888	•••••	•	15.00	35.00	45.00	88	8	000
	Room data given Solar data given	Aperature data					Lighting	control data)			

Figure D.3 DALITE input snapshot for a specified hour

Space used internally as a counter —

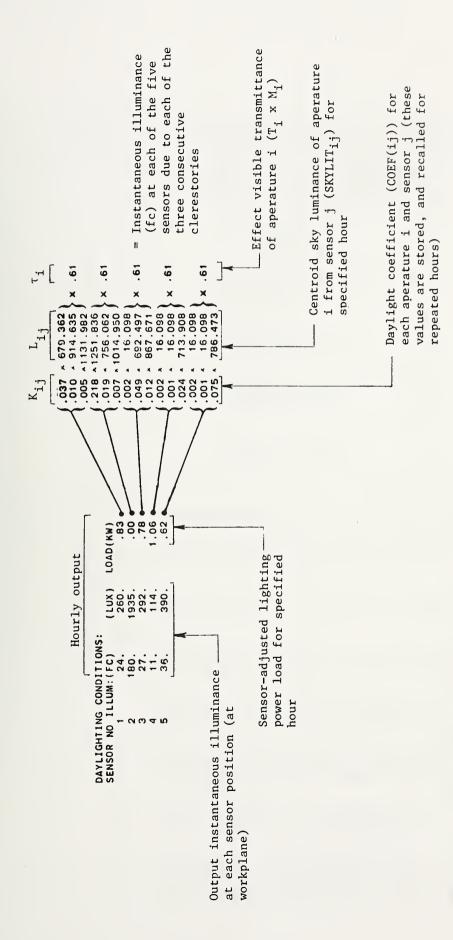


Figure D.4 DALITE output snapshot for a specified hour

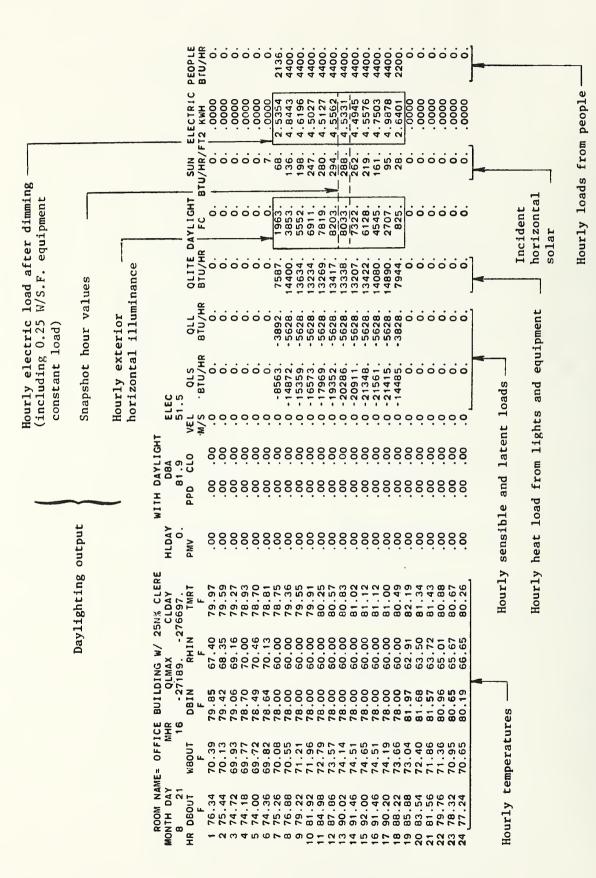
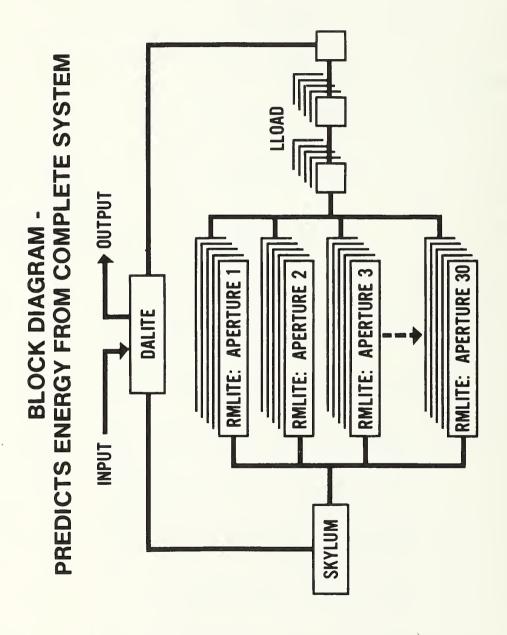


Figure D.5 Main program output for a day showing the daylighting impact on the building loads

APPENDIX E: PROGRAM LISTING

A FORTRAN 77 listing of the DALITE program is given on the following pages. The listing is subdivided into four sections and includes a diagrammatic representation preceding each. The code is the UNIVAC version of FORTRAN 77.

- E.1 The DALITE subroutine
- E.2 The SKYLUM subroutine
- E.3 The RMLITE subroutine
- E.4 The LLOAD subroutine



Block diagram for predicting hourly daylight and its associated adjusted electric lighting energy Figure E.1

```
Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).DALITE(16)
                    SUBROUTINE DALITE(COEF, SURFAZ, WINAZ, THETA, WP, DP, NA, NL, ITEST)
     2
             С
     3
             С
                    ANALIZES THE HOURLY DAYLIGHTING CONDITIONS AND
     4
             C
                    CALCULATES HOURLY ELECTRIC LIGHTING ENERGY REQUIREMENTS.
             С
     5
                    THESE DALIGHTING ALGORITHMS WERE DEVELOPED BY GARY GILLETTE.
     6
             С
     8
             С
                    NOTE: ALL DISTANCES ARE IN FEET AND ALL ANGLES IN DEGREES.
     9
             C
    10
             C
                           ROOM VARIABLES:
    I 1
             C
                           =ROOM HEIGHT (FT)
    12
             С
                    RMH
    13
             С
                           =ROOM LENGTH (FT)
                    RML
             C
    14
                    R MW
                           =ROOM WIDTH (FT)
             С
    15
                    AZM
                           =CLOCKWISE AZIMUTH OF ROOM FROM NORTH
                           =CEILING REFLECTANCE
    I6
             ¢
                    RCN
    17
             С
                    RWL
                           =WALL REFLECTANCE
    18
             C
                    RFL
                           =FLOOR REFLECTANCE
    19
             С
                    RRF
                           ≈ROOF REFLECTANCE (IMMEDIATELY OUTSIDE CLFRESTORY)
             С
    20
                    RG
                           =GROUND REFLECTANCE
                           =EXTERNAL OBSTRUCTION REFLECTANCE
=NUMBER OF APERTURES IN ROOM
             С
    21
                    RX
    22
             C
                    NA
             С
                           =NUMBER OF BANKS OF LUMINAIRES CONNECTED TO A
    23
                    NL
    24
             C
                            LIGHTING CONTROL DEVICE
             С
                           =ROOM NUMBER
    25
                    RMN
    26
             С
                           SKY VARIABLES:
    27
             C
             С
    28
                    SUNALT=SUN ALTITUDE ABOVE THE HORIZONTAL
             С
    29
    3.0
             C
                    SUNAZ =SUN AZIMUTH CLOCKWISE FROM NORTH
             С
                           =SOLAR RADIATION DIFFUSE HORZ.(BTU/SF-HR)
    3 I
                    SRD
                           =SOLAR RADIATION TOTAL ON HORZ.(BTU/SF-HR)
    32
             C
                    SRT
                           =CLOUD RATIO, DIFFUSE/TOTAL SOLAR RADIATION
             C
    33
                    CR
                           =ZENITH SKY LUMINANCE
    34
             C
                    ZLUM
    35
             C
             С
                           WINDOW VARIABLES:
    36
             С
    37
                           =WIDTH OF WINDOW
=HEIGTH OF WINDOW
    38
             С
    39
             C
                           =HEIGTH OF WINDOW SILL FROM FLOOR
             C
     40
                    H1
             С
                           =WIDTH OF WINDOW'S LEFT EDGE FROM WALL'S LEFT EDGE
     41
                    W1
                           =VISIBLE TRANSMITTANCE
             C
     42
                    т
     43
             C
                    М
                           =CORRECTION FOR MULLIONS
                           =HEIGHT OF EXTERNAL OBSTRUCTION
             С
     44
                    HX
             С
                           =DISTANCE OF EXTERNAL OBSTRUCTION FROM ROOM
     45
                    nχ
                           =WALL SURFACE ASSOCIATED WITH APERTURE
     46
             С
                    SN
             С
                            I-NORTH SURFACE
     47
     48
             C
                            2-EAST
                                     SURFACE
             ¢
                            3-SOUTH SURFACE
     49
             C
                            4-WEST SURFACE
    5.0
             C
                    OP
                           =HORIZONTAL OVERHANG PROJECTION (FEET)
    51
                           =DISTANCE FROM CEILING TO TOP OF WINDOW (FEET)
     52
             ¢
                    AW
                           =FIN PROJECTION FROM FENESTRATION (FEET)
     53
             ¢
                    FP
             С
     54
     55
             С
                           SKYLIGHT VARIABLES:
             C
     56
                           =WIDTH OF SKYLIGHT
     57
```

```
58
                       =LENGTH OF SKYLIGHT
59
          С
                L1
                       =DISTANCE (IN LENGHT DIRECTION) OF SKYLIGHT FROM
                        ROOM REFERENCE
6Ø
          C
          С
                W1
                       =DISTANCE (IN WIDTH DIRECTION) OF SKYLIGHT FROM
61
          С
                        ROOM REFERENCE
62
63
          C
                Т
                       =EFFECTIVE VISIBLE TRANSMITTANCE OF SKYLIGHT W/ WELL
                         (ENTER NEGATIVE VALUE IF TRANSLUCENT)
64
          C
                       =CORRECTION FOR MULLIONS
65
                       =WELL EXTENTION(DEPTH OF SKYLIGHT WELL)
                WX
66
          C
                RX
                       =WELL REFLECTANCE
67
          Ċ
                SN.
                       =5 FOR CEILING SURFACE
68
          С
 69
                       CLERESTORY (AND ROOF MONITOR) VARIABLES: =WIDTH OF CLERESTORY OPENING
          Ċ
 7Ø
 71
          CCC
                WC
                       =LENGTH OF CLERESTORY OPENING
 72
                LC
 73
                HC(-) =TOTAL HEIGTH OF SLOPED CLERESTORY (ABOVE CEILING PLANE)
                HC(+) =TOTAL HEIGHT OF SQUARE MONITOR CLERESTORY (ABOVE CEILING PLANE)
W =WIDTH OF WINDOW IN CLERESTORY
          Č
 74
 75
          С
                       =HEIGHT OF WINDOW IN CLERESTORY
76
          000000
                       =HEIGHT OF CLERESTORY WINDOW SILL FROM CEILING
 77
                H1
                       =WIDTH OF CLERESTORY WINDOW'S LEFT EDGE FROM CLERESTORY
 78
                W1
79
                        WALL
8.0
                LC1
                       =DISTANCE(IN LENGTH DIRECTION) OF CLERESTORY
 81
                        FROM ROOM REFERENCE
          Ċ
 82
                WC1
                       =DISTANCE(IN WIDTH DIRECTION) OF CLERESTORY
          С
83
                        FROM ROOM REFERENCE
          C
 84
                 Т
                       =VISIBLE TRANSMITTANCE OF GLAZING
                       =CORRECTION FOR MULLIONS
 85
          C
                 SN
                       =6 FOR CLERESTORY/MONITOR NORTH SURFACE
 86
                        7 FOR CLERESTORY/MONITOR EAST SURFACE
87
                         8 FOR CLERESTORY/MONITOR SOUTH SURFACE
 88
          CCC
                         9 FOR CLERESTORY/MONITOR WEST SURFACE
 89
 90
          Č
91
                       DIMMER VARIABLES:
 92
          CCC
                       =WIDTH DISTANCE OF SENSOR POINT FROM SOUTH WALL (FT) =LENGTH DISTANCE OF SENSOR POINT FROM WEST WALL (FT)
 93
                PW
 94
                PL
          C
 95
                DILL
                       =DESIGN ILLUMINANCE (FC)
                       =DIMMER SYSTEM (ON/OFF=1,STEP-DOWN=2,CONT DIMMING W/MIN=3.
 96
                DIM
 97
          С
                        DIMMING W/OFF=4)
          č
 98
                LOAD
                       =CONNECTED LIGHT LOAD ASSOCIATED WITH SENSOR (KW)
          С
                       =CONSTANT (MIN) OFFSET DIM CONTROL COEFFICIENT(DEFAULT=Ø.38)
 99
                 CHI
          Č
                       =LINEAR DIM CONTROL COEFFICIENT(DEFAULT=Ø.30)
100
                 XΙ
101
1.02
                 PARAMETER MMM=42
1Ø3
                 PARAMETER NNL=1Ø
104
                 REAL LOAD, LLOAD, LLOADX, LLOADN, L, LC, L1, L2, M
125
                 COMMON /DD/ZLITE(MMM, 12), DAYLT(NNL)
106
                DIMENSION COEF(NA, NL), SURFAZ(*), WINAZ(NA, NL), THETA(NA, NL),
1Ø7
               *WP(NA,NL),DP(NA,NL)
108
                 PI=3.14159
                 IF(ZLITE(2,4).LE.Ø.)GO TO 9Ø @CHECKS IF IT IS DAY OR NIGHT
109
                 RMH=ZLITE(1,1)
110
111
                 RML=ZLITE(1,2)
                 RMW=ZLITE(1,3)
112
                 AZM=ZLITE(1,4)
113
                 DO 3Ø I=1,NL
114
115
                 DAYLT(I)=\emptyset.
```

```
116
             3Ø CONTINUE
117
                GRDLIT=Ø.
                LLOADX = \emptyset.
118
119
                NN = NA + 3
120
                NST=ZLITE(1,11)+32
          C
121
122
                DO 70 K=NN,NST @FOR EACH OF NL POSSIBLE FIXTURE BANKS
123
          С
124
                IF(ZLITE(K,1).EQ.Ø.)GO TO 7Ø
                PW = ZLITE(K, 1)
125
                    =ZLITE(K,2)
125
                PL
127
                DILL=ZLITE(K,3)
                DIM =ZLITE(K,4)
128
129
                LOAD=ZLITE(K,5)
13%
                N = K - 32
131
                MST=MMM-NNL
132
          C
133
                DO 60 J=3.MST @FOR EACH OF NA POSSIBLE APERTURES
          С
134
135
                IF(ZLITE(J,9).LE.Ø.)GO TO 6Ø
136
                T = ZLITE(J,5)
                M =ZLITE(J.6)
137
138
                SN=ZLITE(J,9)
139
                ISN=SN
140
                IF(SN.GE.6)SURFAZ(ISN)=9\emptyset.*(SN-6)+AZM
                IF(SN.LT.6)SURFAZ(ISN)=9Ø.*(SN-1)+AZM
141
142
                IF(ITEST.GT.1)GO TO 5Ø
                                             @IF COEFFICIENTS ALREADY OBTAINED
143
          С
144
          С
                CALCULATE DAYLIGHT GEOMETRY COEFFICIENTS
                THESE COEFICIENTS ARE CALCULATED INITIALLY AND STORED
          С
145
          С
146
                FOR HOURLY USE
147
          C
                IF((ZLITE(J,9).EQ.\emptyset.).OR.(ZLITE(J,5).EQ.\emptyset.))GO TO 6\emptyset
148
149
                W = ZLITE(J,1)
150
                W1=ZLITE(J,4)
151
          С
          С
                DEFINE LOCAL COORDINATES (THESE ARE DISTANCES AS SEEN BY
152
          C
                THE FENESTRATION.OR ANGLES AS VIEWED THROUGH THE FENESTRATION)
153
154
                WINAZ(J,N) = FENESTRATION AZIMUTH ANGLE @ CENTRIOD
155
          0000
156
                THETA(J,N) = FENESTRATION ALTITUDE ANGLE @ CENTROID
157
                SURFAZ(ISN)=WALL SURFACE AZIMUTH (DEGREES FROM NORTH)
158
          С
159
                COORDINATES FOR ROOM SURFACE 1
160
                IF(SN.EQ.1)THEN
161
                  WP(J,N)=RML-PL
162
                  DP(J,N)=RMW-PW
163
164
                  RW=RMW
165
                  RL = RML
                   IF(W1.GE.WP(J,N))WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)-ATAN((W1-WP(J,N)+.5*W)/
166
               *DP(J,N))*57.3
167
                   IF(W1.LT.WP(J,N))WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)+ATAN((WP(J,N)-W1-.5*W)/
168
               *DP(J,N))*57.3
169
170
          С
                COORDINATES FOR ROOM SURFACE 2
171
          С
          С
172
173
                ELSE IF (SN.EQ.2) THEN
```

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174
                  WP(J,N)=PW
175
                  DP(J,N)=RML-PL
176
                  RW=RML
177
                  RL=RMW
                  IF(W1.GE.WP(J,N))WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)-ATAN((W1-WP(J,N)+.5*W)/
178
179
               *DP(J,N))*57.3
                  IF(W1.LT.WP(J,N))WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)+ATAN((WP(J.N)-W1-.5*W)/
180
181
               *DP(J.N))*57.3
182
         С
183
         C
                COORDINATES FOR ROOM SURFACE 3
         Ċ
184
185
                ELSE IF (SN.EQ.3) THEN
186
                  WP(J,N)=PL
187
                  DP(J,N)=PW
183
                  RW=RMW
189
                  RL = RML
190
                  IF(W1.GE.WP(J.N))WINAZ(J.N)=SURFAZ(ISN)-ATAN((W1-WP(J.N)+.5*W)/
191
               *DP(J,N))*57.3
192
                  IF(W1.LT.WP(J,N))WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)+ATAN((WP(J,N)-W1-.5*W)/
               *DP(J,N))*57.3
193
194
         C
195
                COORDINATES FOR ROOM SURFACE 4
         С
196
197
                ELSE IF (SN.EQ.4) THEN
198
                  WP(J,N)=RMW-PW
199
                  DP(J,N)=PL
200
                  RW=RML
2Ø1
                  RL = RMW
282
                  IF(W1.GE.WP(J.N))WINAZ(J.N)=SURFAZ(ISN)-ATAN((W1-WP(J.N)+.5*W)/
203
               *DP(J,N))*57.3
284
                  IF(W1.LT.WP(J,N))WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)+ATAN((WP(J,N)-W1-.5*W)/
285
               *DP(J,N))*57.3
206
         С
         č
                COORDINATES FOR CEILING SURFACE 5
287
208
         C
289
                ELSE IF (SN.EQ.5) THEN
210
                  L = ZLITE(J,2)
211
                  L1=ZLITE(J,3)
212
                  DP(J,N)=RMH-2.5
213
                  L2=L1-PL
214
                  W2=W1-PW
                  IF((L2.GT.Ø.).AND.(W2.LT.Ø.))AZM=AZM+9Ø.
                                                                @IN DEGREES
215
216
                  IF((L2.LT.Ø.).AND.(W2.LT.Ø.))AZM=AZM+18Ø.
                                                                @IN DEGREES
217
                  IF((L2.LT.\emptyset.).AND.(W2.GT.\emptyset.))AZM=AZM+27\emptyset.
                                                                @IN DEGREES
                  IF(AZM.LE.36Ø.)AZM=Ø.
218
219
                  IF(L1.LT.PL)L2=PL-L-L1
                  IF(W1.LT.PW)W2=PW-W-W1
220
                  IF(W2+W/2.EQ.Ø.)THEN
221
222
                  WINAZ(J,N)=AZM
223
                  ELSE
224
                  WINAZ(J,N)=ATAN((L2+L/2)/(W2+W/2))*57.3+AZM @IN DEGREES
225
                  END IF
226
                  IF((L2+L/2.EQ.Ø.).AND.(W2+W/2.EQ.Ø.))THEN
                  THETA(J,N)=90.
227
                  ELSE
228
229
                  THETA(J,N)=ATAN(DP(J,N)/SQRT((L2+L/2)**2+(W2+W/2)**2))*57.3 @IN DEGREES
238
                  END IF
231
         С
```

```
232
         C
                COORDINATES FOR CLERESTORY SURFACE 6
233
234
                ELSE IF (SM.EQ.6) THEN
                  H1=ZLITE(J,3)
235
236
                  LC=ZLITE(J,11)
                  LC1=ZLITE(J,8)
237
238
                  WC=ZLITE(J, 1Ø)
                  WC1=ZLITE(J,7)
239
240
                  DP(J,N) = RMH - 2.5 + H1
                  WP(J,N)=RML-PL
241
242
                  RW=RMW
243
                  RL = RML
244
                  IF((WC1+WC).LT.PW)WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)
                                                                QNOTE: DSF = Ø.
245
                  IF(LC1.GE.PL)WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)+ATAN((LC1-PL+.5*LC)/
246
                  (WC1+WC-PW))*57.3
247
                  IF(LC1.LT.PL)WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)-ATAN((PL-LC1-.5*LC)/
                  (WC1+WC-PW))*57.3
248
249
         С
         Č
                COORDINATES FOR CLERESTORY SURFACE 7
250
251
                ELSE IF (SN.EQ.7) THEN
252
                  H1=ZLITE(J,3)
253
254
                  LC=ZLITE(J,11)
255
                  LC1=ZLITE(J,8)
256
                  WC=ZLITE(J, 1Ø)
257
                  WC1=ZLITE(J.7)
258
                  DP(J,N) = RMH - 2.5 + H1
                  WP(J,N)=PW
259
260
                  RW=RML
                  RL=RMW
261
262
                  IF(((LC1+LC).GE.PL).AND.(WC1.GE.PW))WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)-
                  ATAN((WC1-PW+.5*W)/(LC1+LC-PL))*57.3
263
264
                  IF(((LC1+LC).GE.PL).AND.(WC1.LT.PW))WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)+
                  ATAN((PW-WC1-.5*W)/(LC1+LC-PL))*57.3
265
                  IF((LC1+LC).LT.PL)WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)
266
                                                                @NOTE:DSF=\emptyset.
267
         С
         С
                COORDINATES FOR CLERESTORY SURFACE 8
268
269
27Ø
                ELSE IF (SN.EQ.8) THEN
                  H1=ZLITE(J,3)
271
272
                  LC=ZLITE(J,11)
273
                  LC1=ZLITE(J,8)
274
                  WC=ZLITE(J, 1Ø)
275
                  WC1=ZLITE(J,7)
276
                  DP(J,N)=RMH-2.5+H1
                  WP(J,N)=PL
277
278
                  RW=RMW
                  RL=RML
279
280
                  IF(WC1.GT.PW)WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)
                                                           @NOTE:DSF=Ø.
                  IF(LC1.GE.PL)WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)-ATAN((LC1-PL+.5*LC)/
281
282
                  (WC1+WC-PW))*57.3
                  IF(LC1.LT.PL)WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)+ATAN((PL-LC1-.5*LC)/
283
               *(WC1+WC-PW))*57.3
284
285
          C
                COORDINATES FOR CLERESTORY SURFACE 9
          С
286
287
                ELSE IF (SN.EQ.9) THEN
288
                  H1=ZLITE(J,3)
289
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```
LC=ZLITE(J,11)
290
291
                  LC1=ZLITE(J,8)
                  WC=ZLITE(J,1Ø)
292
293
                  WC1=ZLITE(J,7)
294
                  DP(J,N)=RMH-2.5+H1
295
                  WP(J,N)=RMW-PW
                  RW=RML
296
297
                  RL=RMW
298
                  IF((LC1+LC).LT.PL)WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)
                                                                 @NOTE:DSF=Ø.
299
                  IF(((LC1+LC).GE.PL).AND.(WC1.GE.PW))WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)+
                  ATAN((WC1-PW+.5*W)/(LC1+LC-PL))*57.3
300
3Ø1
                  IF(((LC1+LC).GE.PL).AND.(WC1.LT.PW))WINAZ(J,N)=SURFAZ(ISN)-
302
                  ATAN((PW-WC1-.5*W)/(LC1+LC-PL))*57.3
3.03
                END IF
3Ø4
             5Ø CONTINUE
         C
3Ø5
         C
3Ø6
                CALCULATE ANGULAR CORRECTION OF GLAZING TRANSMITTANCE
307
                (CORRECTS FOR SUNLIGHT GRAZING ANGLE)
3Ø8
                SUNALT=ZLITE(2,1) @IN DEGREES
309
31Ø
                SUNAZ =ZLITE(2,2) @IN DEGREES
                IF (SUNAZ.GT.36Ø.)SUNAZ=SUNAZ-36Ø.
311
312
                AZ=ABS(SUNAZ-WINAZ(J,N))
313
                IF (AZ.GT.9Ø.)THEN
314
                ANG = \emptyset.
315
                ELSE
                ANG=ATAN(SQRT(TAN(SUNALT*PI/180.)**2+SIN(AZ*PI/180.)**2)
316
317
               */COS(AZ*PI/18Ø.))
318
                END IF
319
                TNX=1.Ø18*T*COS(ANG)*(1.+SIN(ANG)**3)
32Ø
          С
321
                CALCULATE SKY LUMINANCE AS SEEN THROUGH THE FENESTRATION
322
          Ċ
323
                CALL SKYLUM(SURFAZ(ISN), WINAZ(J, N), THETA(J, N), PL, PW, WP(J, N),
               *DP(J,N),J,SKYLIT,SUNLIT,GRDLIT,SIDLIT)
324
325
                IF(ITEST.GT.1)GO TO 55
326
          C
          С
                CALCULATE ROOM ILLUMINANCE AT SENSOR LOCATION
327
328
329
                CALL RMLITE(WP(J,N),DP(J,N),PL,PW,RW,RL,J,SKYLIT,SUNLIT,
330
               *GRDLIT,XLITE)
331
                COEF(J,N)=XLITE
332
             55 CONTINUE
                IF((T.LT.Ø).AND.(SN.EQ.5))DAYLTE=COEF(J,N)*GRDLIT*ABS(T)*M
333
334
                IF((T.LT.Ø).AND.(SN.NE.5))DAYLTE=COEF(J,N)*SIDLIT*ABS(T)*M
                IF(T.GT.Ø)DAYLTE=SUNLIT*TNX*M+COEF(J,N)*T*M*SKYLIT
335
336
                IF(T.EQ.Ø)DAYLTE=Ø.
337
                DAYLT(N)=DAYLT(N)+DAYLTE
338
             6Ø CONTINUE
339
34Ø
                CALCULATE ADJUSTED LIGHTING LOAD
          Č
341
342
                DAYLTE=DAYLT(N)
343
                XI = \emptyset.7\emptyset
344
                CHI =\emptyset.3\emptyset
                IF (ZLITE(K,6).GT.Ø.)XI=ZLITE(K,6)
345
346
                IF(ZLITE(K,7).GT.Ø.) CHI=ZLITE(K,7)
                LLOADN=LLOAD(DAYLTE, DILL, DIM, LOAD, XI, CHI)
347
348
                ZLITE(K, 1\emptyset) = DAYLTE
                ZLITE(K,11)=LLOADN
349
35Ø
                ZLITE(K, 12)=GRDLIT
             7Ø CONTINUE
351
352
             9Ø RETURN
353
                END
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PREDICTS SKY CONDITIONS

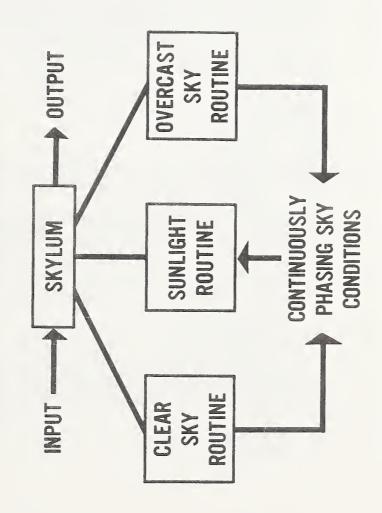


Figure E.2 Block diagram for predicting sky conditions

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Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).SKYLUM(31)
                    SUBROUTINE SKYLUM(SURFAZ, WINAZ, THETA, PL, PW, WP, DP, J, SKYLIT,
     1
                   *SUNLIT, GRDLIT, SIDLIT)
     2
     3
     4
             С
                    TO CALCULATE THE SKY LUMINANCE AS SEEN THRU A WINDOW/SKYLIGHT
     5
                    SUNALT=SOLAR ALTITUDE ANGLE (DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON)
             С
     6
     7
             С
                    SUNAZ =SOLAR AZIMUTH ANGLE (DEGREES CLOCKWISE FROM NORTH)
                          =HAZINESS FACTOR:RURAL=Ø.05 URBAN=Ø.10 INDUSTRIAL=Ø.20
     Я
             С
                    BETA
     9
                    WINAZ = VEIWING WINDOW AZIMUTH ANGLE @ CENTER AS SEEN BY
             С
                            POINT ON WORK PLANE (DEGREES CLOCKWISE FROM NORTH)
    10
                    THETA = VEIWING WINDOW ALTITUDE ANGLE @ CENTER AS SEEN BY
    11
             С
                           POINT ON WORK PLANE (INPUT IN DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON) = CLOUD RATIO, DIFFUSE/TOTAL SOLAR RADIATION
    12
             С
             С
    13
                    CR
                            (CLOUD COVER/10. COULD BE USED IN LIU OF CR, BUT W/ SOME
             С
    14
                            LOSS OF ACCRURACY)
    15
             С
             С
                           =TOTAL SOLAR RADIATION, HORIZONTAL (BTU/HR/SF)
                    SRT
    16
    17
             С
                    SRD
                           =DIFFUSE SOLAR RADIATION, HORIZONTAL (BTU/HR/SF)
                    SKYLUM=SKY LUMINANCE @ WINDOW CENTROID (FOOTLAMBERTS)
             С
    18
    19
             C
                    CLRSKY=CLEAR SKY LUMINANCE @ WINDOW OR SKYLIGHT CENTROID
                    OVRSKY=OVERCAST SKY LUMINANCE @ WINDOW OR SKYLIGHT CENTROID
    20
             С
                    SUNLIT = DIRECT SUN ILLUMINANCE ON THE HORIZONTAL
    21
             С
                    SUNBM = DIRECT BEAM ILLUMINANCE AT NORMAL INCIDENCE
    22
             C
    23
             \cap
    21
                    COMMON/DD/ZLITE(42,12), DAYLT(10)
                    REAL L, L1, LC, LC1
    25
    26
                    RMH
                           =ZLITE(1,1)
    27
                    AZM
                           =ZLITE(1,4)
    28
                    SUNALT=ZLITE(2,1)
    29
                    SUNAZ =ZLITE(2,2)
    38
                    SRD
                           =ZLITE(2,3)
    31
                    SRT
                           =ZLITE(2,4)
                          =ZLITE(2,5)
    32
                    BETA
    33
                    OMEGA =ZLITE(2,6)
    34
                    JUL
                           =ZLITE(2,8)
                           =ZLITE(J,9)
    35
                    SN
                    PI
    36
                           =3.14159
     37
                    IF(SUNAZ.GT.36Ø.)SUNAZ=SUNAZ-36Ø.
                    IF(SN.EQ.5)THEN @FOR HORIZONTAL SKYLIGHTS
    38
     39
                         X = \emptyset.
     40
                         H = \emptyset.
     41
                         H1 = \emptyset.
     42
                         W = ZLITE(J,1)
     43
                         L = ZLITE(J,2)
     44
                         L1=ZLITE(J,3)
     45
                         W1 = ZLITE(J, 4)
     46
                         HX=ZLITE(J,7)
     47
                         DX=ZLITE(J,8)
     48
                         OP=ZLITE(J,1Ø)
     49
                         THETA=THETA*PI/18Ø.
     50
                         HWP
                              = \Omega.
     51
                    ELSE IF(SN.LT.5)THEN
                                                @FOR VERTICAL WINDOWS
     52
                         X = \emptyset.
     53
                         L =Ø.
     54
                         L1 = \emptyset.
     55
                         W = ZLITE(J,1)
                         H = ZLITE(J, 2)
     56
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H1=ZLITE(J,3)

57

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58
                     W1 = ZLITE(J,4)
 59
                     HX=ZLITE(J,7)
 60
                     DX=ZLITE(J,8)
 61
                     OP=ZLITE(J,1Ø)
                     AW=ZLITE(J,11)
 62
 63
                     HWP=H+H1-2.5
                     HH=HX*(DP/(DP+DX))
64
 65
                     THETA=ATAN((HWP-(HWP-HH)/2)/DP)
                                                             @IN RADIANS
 66
                ELSE IF(SN.GT.5)THEN
                                                        @FOR CLERESTORIES
 67
                     W = ZLITE(J.1)
 68
                     H = ZLITE(J,2)
                     H1=ZLITE(J,3)
 69
 7Ø
                     W1 = ZLITE(J, 4)
                     WC1=ZLITE(J,7)
 71
 72
                     LC1=ZLITE(J,8)
 73
                     WC=ZLITE(J,1Ø)
 74
                     LC=ZLITE(J,11)
 75
                     HC=ZLITE(J,12)
 76
                     OP = \emptyset.
                     AW=DP
 77
 78
                     IF(SN.EQ.6)X=WC+WC1-PW
 79
                     IF(SN.EQ.7)X=LC+LC1-PL
 80
                     IF(SN.EQ.8)X=PW-WC1
 81
                     IF(SN.EQ.9)X=PL-LC1
 82
                     HWP=RMH+H1+H/2-2.5
 83
                     THETA=ATAN(HWP/X)
                                            @IN RADIANS
 34
                END IF
                 IF(SRT.EQ.Ø.)GO TO 2Ø
 85
 86
                 IF (THETA.LT.\emptyset.)THETA=\emptyset.
 87
          CC
 88
                 CALCULATE INTERMEDIATE CLOUD-MODIFIED SKY LUMINANCE
 89
 90
                       =SRD/SRT
 91
                 PHASE = (1.+\cos(PI*cR))/2.
 92
                 SKYLIT=CLRSKY(SUNALT, SUNAZ, WINAZ, THETA, BETA, OMEGA)*PHASE
 93
                *+OVRSKY(SRD, THETA)*(1.-PHASE)
 94
 95
                 CALCULATE SUNLIGHT PRESENT AT SENSOR POSITION
          С
 96
 97
                 IF(SUNALT.LT.5)THEN
                 SUNBM=Ø. @CONTROLS PROBLEM DUE TO LOW SUN ANGLES
 98
 99
                 ELSE
100
                 SUNBM=SUNN(SUNALT, SUNAZ, AZM, H, H1, W, W1, L, L1, OP, AW, WP,
101
                *PL,PW,DP,DX,SN,JUL,X)*PHASE
                 SUNLIT=SUNBM*SIN(SUNALT*PI/18Ø.)
102
1.03
                 END IF
104
          C
105
                 CALCULATE OUTDOOR HORIZONTAL & VERTICAL ILLUMINATION
          С
186
1Ø7
                 AZ=ABS(SURFAZ-SUNAZ)
                 GRDLIT=(93.+18.*CR)*SRT*.2931 @ILLUMINANCE ON GROUND(FC)
1.03
                 IF(AZ.GE.9Ø.)SIDLIT=.5*111.*SRD*.2931 @(FC)
IF(AZ.LT.9Ø.)SIDLIT=(.5*111.*SRD*.2931)
109
110
                *+(SUNBM*COTAN(SUNALT*PI/18Ø.)) @ILLUMINANCE ON VERTICAL(FC)
111
112
              2Ø RETURN
                 END
113
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Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).SUNN(9)
                    FUNCTION SUNN(SUNALT, SUNAZ, AZM, H, H1, W, W1, L, L1, OP, AW, WP,
     1
     2
                   *PL.PW.DP.DX.SN.JUL.X)
             Ċ
     3
                      SUBROUTINE TO CALCULATE THE DIRECT SUN CONDITIONS
     Δ
             С
     5
             С
                    SUNAZ =SUN'S AZIMUTH (DEGREES CLOCKWISE FROM NORTH) SUNALT=SUN'S ALTITUDE (DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON)
     6
             С
     7
             C
                           =JULIAN DATE(JAN 1=1.DEC 31=365)
     8
             C
                    JUL
     a
             С
                    AZM
                           =CLOCKWISE AZIMUTH COORDINATES OF WALL OFF N-S AXIS
                          =EXTRATERRESTRIAL ILLUMINANCE NORMAL TO SUN (FOOT-CANDLES)
=DIRECT SUNLIGHT ILLUMINANCE NORMAL TO SUN (FOOT-CANDLES)
             C
    10
                    ĖΧ
    1.1
             C
                    NUILS
    12
             С
    13
                    REAL L, L1, LS1, LS2
    14
                    ΡĪ
                           =3.14159
                    SUNN =\emptyset.\emptyset
    15
    16
                    IF(SN.GT.5)DP=X
                    EX=1184Ø.*(1.+.Ø33*COS(.99*JUL*PI/18Ø)) @EXTRATERRESTRIAL ILLUMINANCE (FC)
    17
    18
    19
                    ALGORITHM TO DETERMINE THE SOLAR DISC ILLUMINANCE
             C
    20
             С
                    PROJECTED ON THE WORKPLANE FROM A VERTICAL WINDOW OR CLERESTORY
             C
    21
                    ANGL 1 = ABS (ATAN ((W+W1-WP)/DP)*18Ø./PI)
    22
    23
                    ANGL2=ABS(ATAN((W1-WP)/DP)*18Ø./PI)
    24
                     IF((SN.EQ.1).OR.(SN.EQ.6))THEN
                    GO TO 6% ELSE IF((SN.EQ.2).OR.(SN.EQ.7))THEN
    25
    26
    27
                       IF(SUNAZ.GT,(18Ø.+AZM))GO TO 6Ø
    28
                       DS1=(H+H1+AW)/TAN((SUNALT*PI/18Ø.)/
    29
                       COS(ABS(SUNAZ-9Ø.-AZM)*PI/18Ø.))-OP
    3,6
                       ANGL3=9Ø.+AZM-ANGL1
                       ANGL4=9Ø.+AZM+ANGL2
    31
    32
                     ELSE IF((SN.EQ.3).OR.(SN.EQ.8))THEN
    33
                       IF((SUNAZ.LT.(90.+AZM)).OR.(SUNAZ.GT.(270.+AZM)))GO TO 60
    34
                       DS1=(H+H1+AW)/TAN((SUNALT*PI/18Ø.)/
    35
                      COS(ABS(SUNAZ-18Ø.-AZM)*PI/18Ø.))-OP
    36
                       ANGL3=18Ø.+AZM-ANGL1
                       ANGL 4 = 18\%. +AZM+ANGL 2
    37
    38
                    ELSE IF((SN.EQ.4).OR.(SN.EQ.9))THEN
    39
                       IF(SUNAZ.LT.(18Ø.+AZM))GO TO 6Ø
    40
                       DS1=(H+H1+AW)/TAN((SUNALT*PI/18Ø.)/
    41
                       COS(ABS(SUNAZ-27Ø.-AZM)*PI/18Ø.))-OP
    42
                       ANGL3 = 270. + AZM - ANGL1
    43
                       ANGL4 = 27\emptyset. + AZM + ANGL2
    41
                     ELSE
    45
                       GO TO 5Ø
                                            @FOR(SN.EQ.5)
    45
                     END IF
    47
                     IF((SUNAZ.LT.ANGL3).OR.(SUNAZ.GT.ANGL4))GO TO 6Ø
    48
                     DS2=\emptyset.
                                            @INITIALIZE
    49
                     IF(SN.LT.5)DS2=(DS1+OP)*H1/(H1+H+AW)
    50
                     IF(SN.GT.5)DS2=DS1*(H1+AW)/(H+H1+AW)
    51
                     IF((DP.GT.DS1).OR.(DP.LT.DS2))GO TO 6Ø
    52
                     SUNN=EX*EXP(-.21/SIN(SUNALT*PI/18Ø.))
    53
                    GO TO 6.0
    54
              С
    55
             C
                    ALGORITHM TO DETERMINE THE SOLAR DISC ILLUMINANCE
    5.5
              С
                     PROJECTED ON THE WORKPLANE FROM A HORIZONTAL SKYLIGHT
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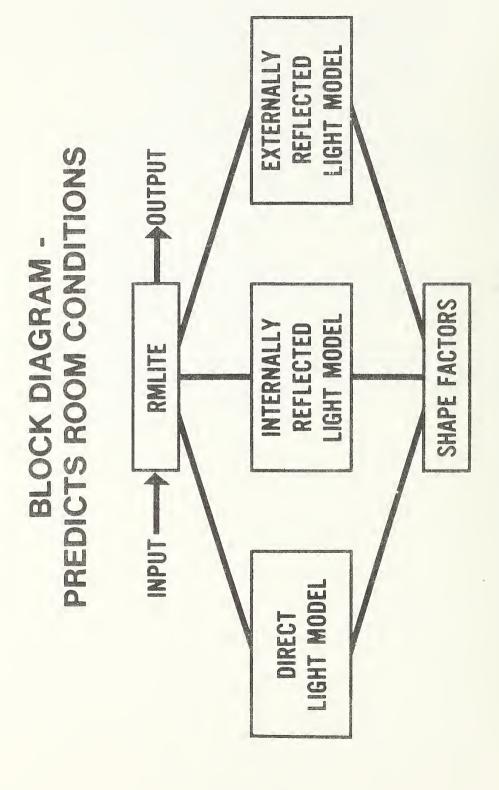
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58
           5Ø SANGL1=SUNALT+(9Ø.-SUNALT)*ABS(COS(SUNAZ*PI/18Ø.))
59
               IF((SANGL1.EQ.9Ø.).OR.(SANGL1.EQ.27Ø.))THEN
60
                 LS1=L1
61
               ELSE
62
                 IF(SUNAZ.LE.18Ø.)LS1=L1-(DP+DX)/TAN(SANGL1*PI/18Ø.)
                 IF(SUNAZ.GT.180.)LS1=L1+(DP+DX)/TAN(SANGL1*PI/180.)
63
              END IF
64
65
               LS2=LS1+L
               IF((PL.LT.LS1).OR.(PL.GT.LS2))GO TO 6Ø
66
67
               SUNN=EX*EXP(-.21/SIN(SUNALT*PI/18Ø.))
               SANGL2=SUNALT+(9Ø.-SUNALT)*ABS(SIN(SUNAZ*PI/18Ø.))
68
69
               IF(SANGL2.EQ.9Ø.)WS1=W1
70
               IF(SANGL2.NE.9\emptyset.)WS1=W1+(DP+DX)/TAN(SANGL2*PI/18\emptyset.)
71
               WS2=WS1+W
72
               IF((PW.LT.WS1).OR.(PW.GT.WS2))SUNN=Ø.
73
           6Ø CONTINUE
               RETURN
74
75
               END
```

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Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).CLRSKY(25)
                   FUNCTION CLRSKY(SUNALT, SUNAZ, WINAZ, THETA, BETA, OMEGA)
             C
     2
                   SUBROUTINE TO CALCULATE THE CLEAR SKY LUMINANCE AT THE
     3
             С
     4
             С
                   CENTROID OF THE WINDOW/SKYLIGHT
     5
             С
             С
                          (INPUT VALUES FOR CLRSKY ARE CONVERTED TO RADIANS BELOW)
     6
                   SUNALT=SOLAR ALTITUDE IN DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON
     7
             С
             Ċ
     8
                   ZLUM =ZENITH SKY LUMINANCE (FOOTLAMBERTS)
                          =AZIMUTH ANGLE BETWEEN SUN AND VIEW POINT OF GLAZING
     9
             С
                   ΑZ
                   THETA =ALTITUDE ANGLE OF GLAZING VIEW POINT
    10
             С
    11
             С
                   GAMA = SOLID ANGLE BETWEEN SUN AND GLAZING VIEW POINT
                   OMEGA =ATMOSPHERIC MOISTURE COEFFICIENT
BETA =ATMOSPHERIC TURBIDITY COEFFICIENT
             С
    12
    13
    14
    15
                   DIMENSION AØ(6,3),A1(6,3)
                   DATA(AØ(J,1),J=1,6)/Ø.9361,Ø.9Ø93,Ø.8727,Ø.8547,Ø.846Ø,Ø.841Ø/
    16
    17
                   DATA(AØ(J,2),J=1,6)/1.Ø329,1.Ø2Ø6,1.ØØ74,1.ØØ19,Ø.999Ø,Ø.998Ø/
                   DATA(AØ(J,3),J=1,6)/1.1399,1.1499,1.1698,1.1833,1.1899,1.1968/
    18
    19
                   DATA(A1(J,1),J=1,6)/Ø.ØØ2Ø.Ø.ØØ18,Ø.ØØ14,Ø.ØØ12,Ø.ØØ11,Ø.ØØ11/
    20
                   DATA(A1(J,2),J=1,6)/Ø.ØØ24,Ø.ØØ22,Ø.ØØ19,Ø.ØØ17,Ø.ØØ16,Ø.ØØ16/
    21
                   DATA(A1(J,3),J=1,6)/Ø.ØØ3Ø,Ø.ØØ28,Ø.ØØ25,Ø.ØØ23,Ø.ØØ22,Ø.ØØ21/
                   PI=3.14159
    22
    23
                   IF(BETA.LE.Ø.Ø5)IBETA=1
                   IF((BETA.GT.Ø.Ø5).AND.(BETA.LE.Ø.1Ø))IBETA=2
    21
    25
                   IF (BETA.GT.Ø.1Ø) IBETA=3
    26
                   IF (OMEGA.LE.Ø.5) IOMEGA=1
    27
                   IF((OMEGA.GT.Ø.5).AND.(OMEGA.LE.1.Ø))IOMEGA=2
    28
                   IF((OMEGA.GT.1.Ø).AND.(OMEGA.LE.2.Ø))IOMEGA=3
    29
                   IF((OMEGA.GT.2.0).AND.(OMEGA.LE.3.0))IOMEGA=4
    3.0
                   IF((OMEGA.GT.3.0).AND.(OMEGA.LE.4.0))IOMEGA=5
    31
                   IF (OMEGA.GT.4.Ø) IOMEGA=6
                                          @IN RADIANS
    32
                   SALT =SUNALT*PI/18Ø.
    33
                   ZLUM =(AØ(IOMEGA, IBETA)+A1(IOMEGA, IBETA)*SUNALT**2)*291.9
                       =ABS((SUNAZ-WINAZ)*PI/18Ø.) @IN RADIANS
    34
                   A7
                   GAMA =ACOS(SIN(THETA)*SIN(SALT)+COS(THETA)*COS(SALT)*COS(AZ))
    35
    36
                   CLRSKY=ZLUM*(\emptyset.91\emptyset+1\emptyset.*EXP(-3*GAMA)+\emptyset.45*COS(GAMA)*COS(GAMA))*
                  *(1.-EXP(-Ø.32/SIN(THETA)))/(Ø.27385*(Ø.91+1Ø.*EXP(-3*(1.57-SALT))
    37
    38
                  *+Ø.45*SIN(SALT)*SIN(SALT)))
    39
                   RETURN
    40
                   END
```

Q\$Q\$Q\$*GAR	Y(1).0V	RSKY(17)
1		FUNCTION OVRSKY(SRD, THETA)
2	С	
3	С	SUBROUTINE TO CALCULATE THE OVERCAST SKY LUMINANCE AT THE
4	С	CENTROID OF THE WINDOW/SKYLIGHT
5	С	
6	С	ZLUM =ZENITH SKY LUMINANCE (FOOTLAMBERTS)
7	С	OVRSKY=OVERCAST SKY LUMINANCE OF APERTURE MIDPOINT
8	С	THETA ≃ALTITUDE ANGLE STUDY POINT MAKES WITH APERTURE MIDPOINT
9	С	
100		PI=3.14159
1 1	С	
12	С	CALCULATE ZENITH LUMINANCE
13	С	
1.4		ZLUM=(111.*SRD*Ø.2931)*9/7
15	С	
16	С	CALCULATE OVERCAST SKY LUMINANCE AT WINDOW VIEW ANGLE
17		OVRSKY=ZLUM*((1.+2.*SIN(THETA))/3.)
18		RETURN
19		END



Block diagram for predicting room daylight conditions Figure E.3

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Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).RMLITE(36)
                   SUBROUTINE RMLITE(WP,DP,PL,PW,RW,RL,J,
     2
                  *SKYLIT, SUNLIT, GRDLIT, XLITE)
            C
     3
     4
            C
                       THIS ROUTINE CALCULATES THE COMBINED ILLUMINANCE COEFFICIENTS
            C
     5
                       USED TO OBTAIN TOTAL WORKPLANE ILLUMINANCE.
            C
     6
     7
            C
                   DP
                         =DEPTH OF THE REFERENCE POINT FROM THE APERTURE SURFACE(FEET).
     8
            С
                         =TRASMISSION COEFFICIENT OF WINDOW OR SKYLIGHT
                   Т
     9
            C
                          (NEGATIVE IF TRANSLUCENT)
    10
            C
                   WA
                         =WINDOW OR SKYLIGHT AREA, SQ. FT.
    11
            С
                         =ROOM INTERNAL SURFACE AREA
                         =REFLECTANCE OF EXTERNAL OBSTRUCTION OR SKYLIGHT WELL
            C
    12
                   RX
    13
            С
                   RFW
                         =AVERAGE REFLECTANCE FACTOR OF THE LOWER HALF OF THE ROOM
                         =AVERAGE REFLECTANCE FACTOR OF THE UPPER HALF OF THE ROOM
            C
                   RCW
    14
    15
            C
                   RAVE
                         =AVERAGE REFLECTANCE OF THE ENTIRE ROOM
            С
                         =WINDOW OR SKYLIGHT WIDTH, FT.
    16
    17
            C
                         =SKYLIGHT LENGTH, FT.
            С
    18
                   н
                         =WINDOW HEIGHT, FT.
            С
    19
                   HI
                         =PROJECTED HEIGHT OF OBSTRUCTION ON WINDOW
                         =HEIGHT OF OBSTRUCTION FROM WORK PLANE
            С
    20
                   HX
            С
                         =DISTANCE OF OBSTRUCTION FROM WINDOW
    21
                   DX
            C
                   WX
    22
                         =SKYLIGHT WELL DEPTH
            C
    23
                   RMH
                         =ROOM HEIGHT
    24
            C
                   RML
                         =ROOM LENGTH
    25
            С
                   RMW
                         =ROOM WIDTH
    26
            C
                   RW
                         =APPARENT ROOM WIDTH (USED IN INTER-REFLECTION MODEL)
    27
            C
                   RL
                         =APPARENT ROOM LENGTH (USED IN INTER-REFLECTION MODEL)
    28
            C
                   WP
                         =DISTANCE FROM CORNER OF ROOM TO PERP. REFERENCE LINE
            С
    29
                   H 1
                         =SILL HEIGHT ABOVE FLOOR
    30
            C
                   W1
                         =DISTANCE FROM LEFT MOST CORNER OF WINDOW OR SKYLIGHT
            C
                          TO LEFT MOST CORNER OF WALL SURFACE(IN "WIDTH" DIRECTION)
    31
    32
            С
                   L 1
                         =DISTANCE LEFT MOST CORNER OF SKYLIGHT TO LEFT MOST
    33
            C
                          CORNER OF WALL SURFACE(IN LENGTH DIRECTION)
                         =CORRECTION FOR GLAZING MULLIONS
    34
            C
                   М
                         =COMBINED EFFECTIVE TRANSMITTANCE OF THE GLAZING
    35
            C
    36
            C
                   TNX
                         =ANGULAR DEPENDENT TRANSMITTANCE
    37
            C
                   RG
                         =GROUND REFLECTANCE
    38
            С
                         =JULIAN DATE
                   JIII
    39
            C
                   DAYLTE=INTERIOR DAYLIGHT ILLUMINATION
                          =DIRECT LIGHT FROM THE SKY
    43
            C
                   XDL
    41
            C
                   XERL
                          =EXTERNALLY REFLECTED LIGHT (FROM OBSTRUCTING BUILDINGS)
            C
                         =ROOF REFLECTED LIGHT ENTERING CLERISTORY
    12
                   RRL
    43
            C
                   XIRL
                          =INTERNALLY REFLECTED LIGHT (FROM ROOM SURFACES)
    44
                   SKYLIT=SKY LUMINANCE @APERTURE CENTROID(AVERAGE APERTURE LUMINANCE)
            С
    45
            C
                   SUNLIT=HORIZONTAL ILLUMINANCE FROM THE DIRECT SUN
            C
                   GRDLIT=TOTAL HORIZONTAL GROUND ILLUMINATION(SKY&SUN)
    46
            C
                   SIDLIT=VERTICAL SURFACE ILLUMINANCE(SKY ONLY)
    47
            С
                         =GROUND REFLECTED LIGHT COEFFICIENT
    48
                   GRL
                         =SUNLIGHT COEFFICIENT
    49
            C
                   SNL
    5.0
    51
                   COMMON/DD/ZLITE(42,12), DAYLT(10)
    52
                   REAL M,L,L1,LC,LC1
    53
                   PI=3.14159265
    54
                   RMH
                         =ZLITE(1,1)
    55
                   RML
                         =ZLITE(1,2)
    56
                   RMW
                         =ZLITE(1,3)
    57
                   RCN
                         =ZLITE(1,5)
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58
                 RWL
                        =ZLITE(1,6)
59
                 RFL
                        =ZLITE(1,7)
                 RG
                        =ZLITE(1,8)
6.0
 61
                 RX
                         =ZLITE(1,9)
                 SUNALT=ZLITE(2,1)
 62
 63
                  JUL
                        =ZLITE(2,8)
 64
                 Т
                        =ZLITE(J,5)
 65
                         =ZLITE(J,6)
 66
                 SN
                        =ZLITE(J,9)
 67
                 OP
                         =ZLITE(J,1\emptyset)
                         =ZLITE(J,11)
 68
                 AW
 69
                 FΡ
                        =ZLITE(J,12)
 7 Ø
          С
 71
          С
                  FOR THE FOUR ROOM SURFACES
 72
 73
                  IF(SN.LT.5)THEN
                    W=ZLITE(J,1)
 74
 75
                    H=ZLITE(J,2)
                    H1=ZLITE(J,3)
 76
                    W1=ZLITE(J,4)
 77
                    HX=ZLITE(J,7)
 78
 79
                    DX=ZLITE(J,8)
 8.0
                    WA = W * H
                    HH=HX*DP/(DP+DX)
 81
 82
                    HL=HH-H1+2.5
 83
                    HH1=H+H1-2.5
 84
                    IF(HL.GT.H)HH=H
 85
          С
 86
          С
                  FOR CEILING SURFACE
 87
          С
 88
                  ELSE IF(SN.EQ.5)THEN
 89
                    W=ZLITE(J,1)
                    L=ZLITE(J,2)
 90
 91
                    L1=ZLITE(J,3)
 92
                    W1=ZLITE(J,4)
 93
                    HX=ZLITE(J,7)
 94
                    DX=ZLITE(J,8)
 95
                    H = L
 96
                    HL = \emptyset.
 97
          С
 98
          CC
                  FOR CLERESTORY SURFACES
 99
100
                  ELSE IF(SN.GT.5)THEN
1Ø1
                    W = ZLITE(J, 1)
                    H = ZLITE(J,2)
1.002
103
                    H1=ZLITE(J,3)
                    W1=ZLITE(J,4)
104
1.05
                    WC1=ZLITE(J,7)
                    LC1=ZLITE(J,8)
106
107
                    WC=ZLITE(J,1Ø)
                    LC=ZLITE(J,11)
108
109
                    HC=ZLITE(J,12)
110
                    HH = \emptyset.
111
                    HH1 = \emptyset.
112
                    HL = \emptyset.
                 END IF
113
114
                  XDL = \emptyset.
115
          С
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116
         С
                PREPARE VARIABLES FOR INTERREFLECTION SUBROUTINE
117
         C
                A=2.*((RML*RMH)+(RML*RMW)+(RMH*RMW))
118
119
                ACN= RMW*RML
                AWL = (RL *RMH) + 2*(RW*RMH)
120
                RAVE=(AWL*RWL+ACN*RFL+ACN*RCN+(W*H)*.15+(RL*RMH-W*H)*RWL)
121
               */(AWL+ACN+ACN+RL*RMH)
122
123
                IF(SN.GT.4)GO TO 10
124
         С
                CALCULATE CORRECTION FOR EXTERIOR FINS & OVERHANGS
         С
125
125
         С
127
                IF(HL.GE.H)GO TO 2Ø
128
                IF((OP.GT.Ø.).AND.(ATAN(AW/OP).LT.ATAN(HH1/DP)))HH1=DP*(HH1+AW)/
129
               *(OP+DP)
                                  @CORRECTION FOR OVERHANG
130
                IF(FP.GT.\emptyset.)W=W-(FP*W/2/(DP+FP))
                                                       @CORRECTION FOR SIDE FINS
131
         C
                                               @ASSUMES WINDOW CENTRIOD REPRESENTATIVE
132
             10 CONTINUE
133
         С
         С
                CALCULATE THE DIRECT LIGHT CONFIGURATION COEFFICIENT BETWEEN THE
134
         С
135
                FENESTRATION AND A POINT IN THE ROOM.
136
         С
137
         С
                CALL DL(XDL, CRL, RRL, HH1, HH, W, WP, DP, PL, PW, GRDLIT, J)
138
139
         С
         С
                CALCULATE THE EXTERNALLY REFLECTED LIGHT
140
141
         С
142
                IF(SN.GE.5)XERL=\emptyset.
143
             20 IF(SN.LT.5)XERL=ERL(W,H,W1,H1,HH,WP,DP)*RX
                                                                  @EXTERNAL REF LIGHT
144
         С
145
         С
                CALCULATE THE SUNLIGHT INTENSITY ENTERING ROOM
146
         С
                & THE GROUND LIGHT AS COEFFICIENTS
         С
147
                IF(SUNALT.LT.5.) THEN
148
                SNL=Ø. @CONTROLS PROBLEMS DUE TO LOW SUN ANGLES
149
150
                ELSE
151
                SNL=SUNLIT/(ABS(T)*M*SKYLIT)
                IF((SN.GE.6).AND.(XDL.EQ.CRL))SNL=SUNLIT/GRDLIT
152
                END IF
153
                GRL=GRDLIT/(ABS(T)*M*SKYLIT)
154
155
         C
156
         C
                CALCULATE INTERNALLY REFLECTED LIGHT
         С
157
158
                CALL IRL(J, HH, RL, RW, RAVE, A, GRL, SNL, CRL, XIRL) @INTERNAL REF LIGHT
         С
159
160
         С
                CALCULATE DAYLIGHT ILLUMINANCE
         С
                NOTE: NEGATIVE TRANSMITANCE MEANS TRANSLUCENT GLAZING
161
162
         C
163
                IF((SN.GE.6).AND.(XDL.EQ.CRL))T=1.Ø
                XRRL=RRL/(T*M*SKYLIT)
164
                IF((T.LT.Ø).AND.(SN.EQ.5))XLITE=XDL+XIRL
165
                IF((T.LT.Ø).AND.(SN.NE.5))XLITE=XDL+XIRL-XERL
166
                IF((SN.GE.6).AND.(XDL.EQ.CRL))XLITE=XIRL
167
                IF((T.GT.Ø).AND.(T.NE.1))XLITE=XDL+XERL+XIRL+XRRL
168
169
                IF (T.EQ.Ø.)DAYLTE=Ø.
170
                RETURN
171
                END
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Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).DL(19)
                    SUBROUTINE DL(XDL, CRL, RRL, HH1, HH, W, WP, DP, PL, PW, GRDLIT, J)
     1
     2
             С
     3
             С
                        =DIRECT LIGHT FROM SKY ON A POINT IN THE ROOM.
                         THIS ROUTINE CALCULATES POINT ILLUMINANCE COEFFICIENTS
             С
     A
                         OF THE DIRECT SKY COMPONENT FOR WINDOWS, HORIZONTAL SKYLIGHTS,
     5
             С
             C
                         AND CLERESTORIES.
     6
     7
                    COMMON /DD/ZLITE(42,12), DAYLT(10)
     8
                    REAL L, L1, L2, L3, LC, LC1, LC2
     9
    10
                    PI =3.14159265
                    PI2=PI/2
    11
    12
                    H = ZLITE(J,2)
                    H1 = ZLITE(J,3)
    13
    14
                    W1 = ZLITE(J,4)
    15
                    SN = ZLITE(J, 9)
    16
                    RCN=ZLITE(1,5)
    17
                    RG =ZLITE(1,8)
    18
                    XDL=Ø.
                              @INITIALIZE
    19
                    CRL=Ø.
                              @INITIALIZE
    20
                    ZERO=Ø.
    21
                    IF(SN.GE.5)GO TO 3Ø
    22
             C
             С
                    WINDOW ROUTINE
    23
    24
             C
    25
                    H2 = 2.5 - H1
    26
                    H2A=ABS(H2)
                    W4 = WP - W1 - W
    27
    28
                    W5 = WP - W1
    29
                    IF(HH.GE.HH1)GO TO 4Ø
    3Ø
                    IF(HH.EQ.Ø.)THEN
    31
                      IF(H2.LE.Ø.)XDL=BCF(W,H,DP,W5,H2A,PI2)
                      IF(H2.GT.Ø.)XDL=BCF(W,HH1.DP,W5,ZERO,PI2)
    32
    33
                    ELSE
                      HH4 = H - HH
    34
    35
                      HH6=HH-H2
    36
                      XDL=BCF(W, HH4, DP, W4, HH6, PI2)
    37
                    END IF
                    GO TO 4Ø
    38
    39
                 3Ø CONTINUE
             С
    4.0
    41
                    MODEL DIRECT LIGHT FROM TOPLIGHTING (OVERHEAD FENESTRATION)
             C
    42
    43
                    WC1=ZLITE(J,7)
                    LC1=ZLITE(J,8)
    44
                    WC =ZLITE(J, 1Ø)
    45
                    LC = ZLITE(J, 11)
    46
    47
                    HC = ZLITE(J, 12)
                    IF (HC.GT.Ø.)PSI=9Ø. @ROOF MONITOR CHECK
    48
    49
                    HC=ABS(HC)
    5Ø
                    X = PL-LC1
    51
                       =PW-WC1
                    ZZ =DP
    52
    53
                    IF(SN.EQ.5)THEN
             С
    54
    55
             С
                    SKYLIGHT ROUTINE
             C
    56
             С
                    ASSUMES USE OF EFFECTIVE TRANS FOR LIGHT WELL EFFECTS
    57
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58
          C
 59
                 A = \emptyset.
                 L = ZLITE(J,2)
 60
 61
                 L1=ZLITE(J,3)
                 WX=ZLITE(J,8)
 62
 63
                 ZZ = DP + WX
 64
                 W2=W1-PW
 65
                 L2=L1-PL
 66
                 IF(W2.GE.Ø.)THEN
 67
                   W3=W2+W
 68
                 ELSE
 69
                   W3=ABS(W2)
 7Ø
                   W2=ABS(W2)-W
 71
                 END IF
 72
                 IF(L2.GE.Ø.)THEN
 73
                   L3=L2+L
 74
                    IF(L2.EQ.\emptyset)L3=L
 75
                 ELSE
 76
                   L3=ABS(L2)
 77
                    L2=ABS(L2)-L
 78
                 END IF
 79
                 IF (W3.LE.W) THEN
 83
                   W2=W-W3
 81
                   W3=W
 82
                    IF(L3.LE.L)THEN
 83
                      L2=L-L3
 84
                      L3=L
 85
                      XDL=BCFS(W3,L3,ZZ,A)+BCFS(W3,L2,ZZ,A)
 86
                          +BCFS(W2,L3,ZZ,A)+BCFS(W2,L2,ZZ,A)
 87
                   ELSE
 88
                   L2=L2+((WX*L2)/DP)
                      XDL=BCFS(W3,L3,ZZ,A)-BCFS(W3,L2,ZZ,A)
+BCFS(W2,L3,ZZ,A)-BCFS(W2,L2,ZZ,A)
 89
 9Ø
 91
                    END IF
 92
                 ELSE
 93
                    W2=W2+((WX*W2)/DP)
 94
                    IF(L3.LE.L)THEN
 95
                      L2=L-L3
 96
                      L3=L
 97
                      XDL=BCFS(W3,L3,ZZ,L2)-BCFS(W2,L3,ZZ,L2)
 98
                    ELSE
 99
                      L2=L2+((WX*L2)/DP)
1.83
                      XDL=BCFS(W3,L3,ZZ,A)-BCFS(W2,L3,ZZ,A)
1.71
                         -BCFS(W3,L2,ZZ,A)+BCFS(W2,L2,ZZ,A)
1.002
                    END IF
103
                 END IF
194
          C
185
          C
                 CLERESTORY ROUTINE (INCLUDING ROOF MONITORS)
          Ċ
106
107
                 ELSE IF ((SN.EQ.6), OR. (SN.EQ.8)) THEN
                 XX = Y
103
103
                 IF(SN.EQ.8)XX=WC-Y
118
                 YY = X - W1
                 IF(SN.EQ.8)YY=W+W1-X
111
112
                 CC =SQRT(WC**2+HC**2)
                 IF(PSI.EQ.9Ø.)CC=WC
113
                 CC2=CC/2
114
115
                 LC2=LC/2
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116
                WC2=WC/2
117
          С
118
          C
                CALCULATE ROOF REFLECTED LIGHT: RRL
119
          С
120
                IF(PSI.EQ.9Ø.)THEN
121
                  PHI = \emptyset.
122
                  A = HC
                  ZZ = DP + HC
123
                ELSE
124
                  A =WC2*SIN(PHI)
125
                END IF
126
127
                B1=CC2*SIN(PHI)
128
                B2=H-B1
129
                C = SQRT(WC2**2*A**2)
132
                RRL=BCF(LC,B2,C,LC2,A,PHI)*RG*GRDLIT
131
               **BCF(LC,CC,XX,YY,ZZ,PHI)*RCN
132
                IF(PSI.EQ.9Ø)GO TO 1Ø
          С
133
134
          С
                CALCULATE CEILING REFLECTED LIGHT: CRL
135
          С
136
                XX = WC - Y
137
                HHC=HC-H-H1
138
                CRL=BCF(LC,CC,XX,YY,ZZ,PHI)*BCF(W,H,CC2,LC2,HHC,PSI)*RCN
139
             1Ø CONTINUE
149
          С
141
          С
                CALCULATE DIRECT LIGHT: XDL
142
          С
143
                XX = WC - Y
144
                IF(SN.EQ.8)XX = Y
145
                XDL=BCF(W,H,XX,YY,DP,PI2)+CRL
146
                IF((SN.EQ.6).AND.(Y.GT.WC))XDL=CRL
147
                IF((SN.EQ.8).AND.(Y.LT.Ø.))XDL=CRL
          С
148
149
                ELSE IF((SN.EQ.7).OR.(SN.EQ.9))THEN
15Ø
                XX = X
151
                IF(SN.EQ.9)XX = LC-X
152
                YY = Y
153
                CC = SQRT(LC**2+HC**2)
154
                IF(PSI.EQ.90)CC=LC
155
                CC2=CC/2
156
                LC2=LC/2
157
                WC2=WC/2
158
          С
159
                CALCULATE ROOF REFLECTED LIGHT: RRL
160
          С
161
                PHI=ATAN(HC/LC)
                PSI=PI/2-PHI
162
163
                IF (PSI.EQ.9Ø.) THEN
164
                  PHI=\emptyset.
165
                     =HC
                  ZZ =DP+HC
166
167
                ELSE
163
                   A=LC2*SIN(PHI)
169
                END IF
                B1=CC2*SIN(PHI)
170
171
                B2=H-B1
172
                C = SQRT(LC2**2+A**2)
173
                RRL=BCF(WC,B2,C,WC2,A,PHI)*RG*GRDLIT
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**BCF(WC,CC,XX,YY,ZZ,PHI)*RCN
174
175
                IF(PSI.EQ.9Ø.)GO TO 2Ø
         С
176
         cc
177
178
                CALCULATE CEILING REFLECTED LIGHT: CRL
179
                HHC=HC-H-H1
                CRL=BCF(WC,CC,XX,YY,DP,PHI)*BCF(W,H,CC2,WC2,HHC,PSI)*RCN
180
             20 CONTINUE
181
182
          С
                CALCULATE DIRECT LIGHT: XDL
183
184
                XDL = BCF(W, H, XX, YY, Z, PI2) + CRL
185
                XX = \Gamma C - X
                IF(SN.EQ.9)XX = X
186
187
                IF((SN.EQ.7).AND.(X.GT.LC))XDL=CRL
188
                IF((SN.EQ.9).AND.(X.LT.Ø.))XDL=CRL
                END IF
189
             40 RETURN
190
                END
191
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Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).IRL(5Ø)
                   SUBROUTINE IRL(J.HH.RL.RW.RAVE.A.GRL.SNL.CRL.XIRL)
     1
     2
                   COMPUTES THE INTER-REFLECTED LIGHT (FROM THE ROOM SURFACES)
            С
     3
     4
             С
     5
            С
                   RMH
                        =ROOM HEIGHT
                         =APPARENT ROOM WIDTH (AS SEEN BY THE FENESTRATION)
     6
             C
                   RW
                        =APPARENT ROOM LENGTH (AS SEEN BY THE FENESTRATION)
     7
             C
                   RL
     8
             С
                   RWL
                        =REFLECTANCE OF WALL
                   RCN
                        =REFLECTANCE OF CEILING
=REFLECTANCE OF FLOOR
     9
             С
    1Ø
             С
                   RFL
                   XIRL = INTERNALLY REFLECTED LIGHT COEFFICIENT
             С
    1 1
    12
                   GRL =GROUND REFLECTED LIGHT COEFFICIENT
             C
                   SNL =SUNLIGHT COEFFICIENT
    13
    14
                   REAL LC, LC1
    15
                   COMMON /DD/ZLITE(42,12), DAYLT(10)
    16
                         =ZLITE(1,1)
    17
                   RMH
                   RCN
                          =ZLITE(1,5)
    18
                          =ZLITE(1,6)
                   RWL
    19
    20
                   RFL
                          =ZLITE(1,7)
                          =ZLITE(1,8)
                   RG
    21
    22
                   RX
                          =ZLITE(1,9)
    23
                   SUNALT=ZLITE(2,1)
    24
                   SUNAZ =ZLITE(2,2)
                   W
                          =ZLITE(J,1)
    25
    26
                   Н
                          =ZLITE(J,2)
                          =ZLITE(J,3)
    27
                   H 1
    28
                   W1
                          =ZLITE(J,4)
    29
                   SN
                          =ZLITE(J.9)
    3Ø
                   PΙ
                       =3.14159
                   PI2 =PI/2
    3.1
    32
                   KOUNT=1
                   ZLITE(42,12)=ZLITE(42,12)+KOUNT
    33
             С
    34
    35
                   FOR INTER-REFLECTIONS FROM TOPLIGHTING (SKYLIGHTS & CLERESTORIES)
             С
    36
    37
             С
                   NOTE: LIGHT WELL & CLERESTORY CAVITY REFLECTED LIGHT
                         IS COMPUTED IN DL SUBROUTINE
    38
             С
             C
    39
    40
                    IF(SN.EQ.5)SURFAZ=ZLITE(1,4)
                    IF(SN.GT.5)SURFAZ=90.*(SN-6)+ZLITE(1,4)
    A 1
             C
    42
                    INTERNAL REFLECTIONS FROM SKYLIGHT
    13
             C
    44
    45
                    IF(SN.EQ.5)THEN
    46
                   FLUX1=Ø.
    47
                   FLUX2=\emptyset.
    48
                   FLUX3=Ø.
    49
                   FLUX4=\emptyset.
                                             @FLUX FROM SKYLIGHT
    5.0
                    FLUX5=W*H*GRL
    51
                    SUNFLX=SNL*W*H*RFL
                                             @FLUX FROM THE SUN
    52
             С
    53
             С
                    INTERNAL REFLECTIONS FROM CLERESTORY
    54
    55
                    ELSE IF (SN.GT.5) THEN
    56
                   WC1=ZLITE(J,7)
    57
                    LC1=ZLITE(J,8)
```

```
WC =ZLITE(J,10)
58
                 LC = ZLITE(J, 11)
59
                 IF(SN.EQ.6)THEN
6Ø
61
                   XX=WC1+WC
62
                   YY=LC1+LC-W1-W
                 ELSE IF (SN.EQ.7) THEN
63
64
                   XX=LC1+LC
65
                   YY=WC1+W1
66
                 ELSE IF(SN.EQ.8)THEN
67
                   XX=RW-WC1
68
                   YY=LC1+W1
69
                 ELSE IF(SN.EQ.9)THEN
 7Ø
                   XX=RW-LC1
                   YY=WC1-W1-W
 71
 72
                 END IF
 73
                 ZZ=RMH/2+H1
 74
                 FLUX1 = \emptyset.
 75
                 FLUX2=Ø.
 76
                 BCF3 = BCF(W, H, XX, YY, ZZ, PI2)
                                                      @FLUX FROM BACK(OPPOSITE) WALL
                 FLUX3=BCF3*RL*RMH*RWL
 77
 78
                 FLUX4 = \emptyset.
 79
                 FLUX5=Ø.
 8Ø
                 SUNFLX=SNL*W*H*RWL
                                        @FLUX FROM THE SUN
                 CNFLX=CRL*LC*WC*RCN
 81
 82
          С
                 ELSE IF(SN.LT.5)THEN
 83
                      =ZLITE(J,1Ø)
 84
                 FΡ
                 AW
 85
                      =ZLITE(J,11)
 86
                 FOR INTER-REFLECTIONS FROM SIDELIGHTING
 87
          С
 88
                      =RL/2
 89
                 RL2
 90
                       =RMH/2
                 RH2
 91
                       =RW/2
                 RW2
 92
                 HH1
                       =H+H1-2.5
 93
                       =RMH/2-HH-2.5
                 HH2
 94
                 HH3
                       =RMH/2-H1
 95
                 HH4
                       =H-(HH3-HH2)
 96
                       =RMH/2-HH2
                 HH5
 97
                 H2
                       =2.5-H1
 98
                 Н3
                       =H1+H
 99
                 H4
                       =RMH-H1-H2
                       =RMH-H1-H
100
                 H5
101
                 Н6
                       =RMH-H1
                       =W1+W
1.02
                 W2
103
                 W3
                       =RL2-W1
104
                 W6
                       =RL-W2
105
                 W7
                       =R L -W1
106
                 ZERO =\emptyset.
107
                 SURAZ = 9\emptyset.*(SN-1)+ZLITE(1,4)
1.08
          С
                 CALCULATE INTERNALLY REFLECTED FLUX FROM THE SUNLIGHT
109
110
111
                 AZS=ABS(SUNAZ-SURAZ)
                 IF (AZS.GE.9Ø.) THEN
112
113
                   SUNFLX=Ø.
                 ELSE
114
                   PHI=(SUNALT*PI/18Ø.)/COS(AZS*PI/18Ø.)
115
```

```
116
                  IF (AW.LT.(FP*TAN(PHI)))DS1=RMH/TAN(PHI)-FP
                  IF(AW.GE.(FP*TAN(PHI)))DS1=(RMH-AW)/TAN(PHI)-FP
117
118
                  DS2=H1/TAN(PHI)
                  DS3=FP*(TAN(AZS*PI/18Ø.))
119
120
                  IF(DS3.GT.Ø.)W=W-DS3
                  SUNFLX=SNL*W*(DS1-DS2)*RFL
                                                 @FLUX FROM THE SUN
121
122
                END IF
123
         C
124
         С
                CALCULATE FLUX FROM CEILING
125
         С
126
                BCFCN=BCF(W,H,RW2,W3,H5,PI2)
                CNFLX=BCFCN*RW*RL*RCN*RG*GRL
127
128
         С
129
         C
                CALCULATE FLUX FOR EACH WALL SURFACE
130
         С
                SUMFLX=ZLITE(33,9)
131
132
                IF(ZLITE(42,12).GT.KOUNT)GO TO 1Ø
133
         С
131
         С
                WINDOW WALL SURFACE 1
         Ċ
135
136
                FLUX1=Ø
                              @SINCE WINDOW WALL HAS LITTLE REFLECTED LIGHT
         C
137
138
         С
                LEFT SIDE SURFACE 2
139
         С
140
                IF(RX.EQ.Ø.)BCF2=BCF(H,W,RW2,HH3,W1,PI2)
141
                IF(RX.GT.Ø.)BCF2=BCF(HH4,W,RW2,HH2,W1,PI2)
142
                                 +BCF(HH1, W, RW2, HH3, W1, PI2)*RX
                FLUX2=BCF2*RMH*RW*RWL
143
144
         С
145
         C
                BACK WALL SURFACE 3
146
                IF(RX.EQ.Ø.)BCF3=BCF(W,H,HH3,W3,RW,ZERO)
147
143
                IF (RX.GT.Ø.)BCF3=BCF(W,HH4,HH2,W3,RW,ZERO)
                                 +BCF(W,HH1,HH3,W3,RW,ZERO)*RX
149
150
                FLUX3=BCF3*RMH*RL*RWL
151
         С
152
         C
                RIGHT SURFACE 4
         C
153
154
                IF(RX.EQ.Ø.)BCF4=BCF(H,W,RW2,HH3,W6,PI2)
                IF (RX.GT.Ø.)BCF4=BCF(HH4,W,RW2,HH2,W6,PI2)
155
                                 +BCF(HH1, W, RW2, HH3, W6, PI2) *RX
156
                FLUX4=BCF4*RMH*RW*RWL
157
158
         С
159
         C
                FLOOR SURFACE 5
169
         C
161
                IF(RX.EQ.Ø.)BCF5=BCF(W,H,RW2,W3,H1,PI2)
162
                IF(RX.GT.Ø.)BCF5=BCF(W,HH4,RW2,W3,HH5,PI2)
                                 +BCF(W, HH1, RW2, W3, H1, PI2)*RX
163
164
                FLUX5=BCF5*RW*RL*RFL
165
         C
166
         C
167
                END IF
168
         С
169
         С
                COMPUTES MULTIPLE INTER-REFLECTIONS (ASSUMING ULBRICHT SPHERE)
170
          С
171
                SUMFLX=(FLUX1+FLUX2+FLUX3+FLUX4+FLUX5)
172
               */A/(1-RAVE)
             10 IF(SN.LT.5)ZLITE(33,9)=SUMFLX
173
```

174	XIRL=SUMFLX+((CNFLX+SUNFLX)/A/(1-RAVE))
175	RETURN
176	END

```
Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).ERL(31)
                   FUNCTION ERL(W,H,W1,H1,HH,WP,DP)
             С
     2
                            = EXTERNALLY REFLECTED LIGHT FROM SURROUNDING BLDGS
     3
             C
             Ċ
     4
     5
                   HWP = H1 + H
     6
                   W4 = WP - W1
     7
                   W5 = W4 - W
                   H2 = H1 - 2.5
     8
     9
                   H2A=ABS(H2)
    13
                   W5A=ABS(W5)
    11
                   W4A=ABS(W4)
    12
                   IF(W5.GT.Ø) GO TO 1
    13
                   IF(W5.LT.Ø) GO TO 2
                   ERL = BCFW(W, HH, DP) - BCFW(W, H2A, DP)
    14
    15
                   GO TO 3
                 1 ERL=BCFW(W4,HH,DP)-BCFW(W1,HH,DP)-BCFW(W4,H2A,DP)+BCFW(W1,H2A,DP)
    16
    17
                   GO TO 3
    18
                 2 IF(W4.LT.Ø.)ERL=BCFW(W5A,HH,DP)-BCFW(W5A,H2A,DP)-BCFW(W4A,HH,DP)
                  **BCFW(W4A, H2A, DP)
    19
    2.0
                   ERL=BCFW(W4,HH,DP)+BCFW(W5A,HH,DP)-BCFW(W4,H2A,DP)
                  *-BCFW(W5A, H2A, DP)
    21
                 3 RETURN
    22
    23
                   END
  END PRT
```

@PRT,S GARY.BCF,.BCFS,.BCFW,.LLOAD

```
Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).BCF(6)
                      FUNCTION BCF(M.F.X.Y.Z.PHI)
      2
      3
              С
                      BCF=BASIC CONFIGURATION FACTOR (PIERPOINT/HOPKINS EQUATION)
                      M F=SURFACE WIDTH & HEIGTH RESPECTIVELY(IN FEET)
      4
              С
                      XYZ=X,Y,&Z COORDINATES TO SURFACE'S LOWER LEFT CORNER(IN FEET)
      5
              С
                      PHI=SURFACE DECLINATION ANGLE (IN RADIANS)
      6
              С
      7
      8
                      REAL M
                      PI =3.14159265
      9
                      G =Z*SIN(PHI)-X*COS(PHI)
     10
                      H = Z*COS(PHI)+X*SIN(PHI)
A = SQRT(X**2+Z**2)
     11
     12
                      A1 = A**2+Y**2-Y*M
     13
                      B = SQRT(X**2+Z**2+F**2+2*F*G)
     14
                      B1 = B * * 2 + Y * * 2 - Y * M
     15
                         =SQRT(Y**2+H**2)
     16
                      С
                        =SQRT((Y-M)**2+H**2)
     17
                      D
                      E1 = \emptyset.\emptyset
     18
                      E2 = \emptyset.\emptyset
     19
     20
              С
                      DIVIDE CHECK
                      IF(A1.EQ.Ø.) A1 =\emptyset.\emptyset\emptyset\emptyset1
     21
                      IF(B1.EQ.Ø.) B1 =\emptyset.\emptyset\emptyset\emptyset1
     22
                      IF(A1.LE.Ø.) E1 =PI
     23
                      IF(B1.LE.Ø.) E2 =PI
     24
     25
              С
     26
                      BCF = (X/A*(ATAN(M*A/(A1))+E1)
                     *+(F*COS(PHI)-X)/B*(ATAN(M*B/(B1))+E2)
     27
                     *+Y*COS(PHI)/C*ATAN(F*C/(C**2+G**2+F*G))
     28
                     *-(Y-M)*COS(PHI)/D*ATAN(F*D/(D**2+G**2+F*G)))/2/PI
     29
                      RETURN
     38
     31
                      END
```

BLOCK DIAGRAM -PREDICTS LIGHTING ENERGY

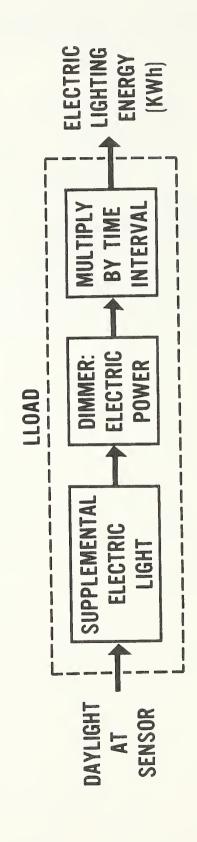


Figure 4. Block diagram for predicting electric lighting load

```
Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).BCFS(8)
                      FUNCTION BCFS(W,L,DP,A)
      2
              C
                      BCFS =BASIC CONFIGURATION FACTOR BETWEEN A HORIZONTAL SKYLIGHT AND
      3
      4
              Ċ
                             A HORIZONTAL WORKPLANE
      5
      6
              00000000
                            =WIDTH OF SKYLIGHT
                            =LENGTH OF SKYLIGHT
      7
                             =SHIFTED DISTANCE OF POINT ALONG REFERENCE EDGE
(NOTE: LENGTHS ARE HORIZONTAL DISTANCES IN THE DIRECTION OF THE ROOM'S LENGTH(RML). THE WIDTHS ARE IN THE DIRECTION OF THE
      8
                      Α
      9
     10
     11
                               ROOM'S WIDTH(RMW) )
                      DP
                            =DISTANCE FROM WORK PLANE TO BOTTOM OF SKYLIGHT
     12
     13
                      REAL L
     14
     15
                      PI=3.14159265
                      B =SQRT(DP*DP+L*L)
     16
                      C = SQRT(DP*DP+A*A)
     17
                      D = SQRT(DP*DP+(A-L)**2)
     18
     19
                      E =SQRT(DP*DP+W*W)
                      IF(A.GT.Ø.)BCFS=(A/C*ATAN(W/C)+W/E*ATAN(L*E/
     28
                     *SQRT(A*A+DP*DP+W*W-A*L))+(L-A)/D*ATAN(W/D))/2./PI
     21
                      BCFS=(L/B*ATAN(W/B)+W/E*ATAN(L/E))/2./PI
     22
                      RETURN
     23
     24
                      END
```

Q\$Q\$Q\$*GARY(1).BCFW(6)							
1		FUNCTION BCFW(W.H,D)					
2	С						
3	C	BCFW=BASIC CONFIGURATION FACTOR FOR A WINDOW					
4	C	(HIGBIE'S EQUATION FOR HORIZ. ILLUMINATION FROM VERTICAL WINDOW)					
5	C						
6		PI=3.14159265					
7		A=SQRT(D*D+H*H)					
8		BCFW=(ATAN(W/D)-D/A*ATAN(W/A))/2./PI					
9		RETURN					
1.0		END					

```
Q$Q$Q$*GARY(1).LLOAD(8)
                   FUNCTION LLOAD(DAYLTE, DILL, DIM, LOAD, XI, CHI)
     2
             C
            С
                   LLOAD = LIGHTING LOAD (HOURLY KW)
     3
             С
                   DAYLTE=DAYLIGHT ILLUMINANCE AT SENSOR
             С
     5
                   DILL =DESIGN ILLUMINANCE(FOOTCANDLES) REQUIRED AT SENSOR LOCATION
             С
     6
                         =DIMMING STRATEGY, EITHER 1(ON/OFF), 2(STEP DOWN), 3(CONTINOUS),
             С
     7
                   DIM
     8
             С
                           OR 4(CONTINUOUS W/ OFF)
             Č
                   LOAD
                         =POWER LOAD(BEFORE DIMMING) ASSOCIATED WITH SENSOR LOCATION
     9
             Ċ
                        =LINEAR DIMMING COEFFICIENT
    10
                   ΧI
                        =CONSTANT DIMMING COEFFICIENT
    11
                   CHI
    12
             C
    13
                   REAL LOAD, LLOAD
                                             @DETERMINES PERCENT SUPPLEMENTAL LIGHT NEEDED
    14
                   PSL=(DILL-DAYLTE)/DILL
    15
                   IF(PSL.GT.Ø.ØØ) GO TO 1
                   IF(DIM.EQ.3)LLOAD=CHI*LOAD
    16
                   LLOAD=Ø.Ø
    17
    18
                   GO TO 4
             C
C
    19
                   ON/OFF SWITCHING
    20
    21
             С
    22
                 1 IF(DIM.GT.1.0) GO TO 2
                   LLOAD=LOAD
    23
    24
                   GO TO 4
             С
    25
    26
                   TWO LEVEL STEP-DOWN SWITCHING
    27
             С
    28
                 2 IF(DIM.GT.2.Ø) GO TO 3
                   IF(PSL.GT.Ø.5) LLOAD=LOAD
    29
    30
                   IF(PSL.LE.Ø.5)LLOAD=LOAD*Ø.5
    31
                   GO TO 4
             С
    32
                   CONTINUOUS DIMMING
             С
    33
             С
                   (FLUORESCENT DIMMING IS DEFAULT)
    34
    35
                 3 LLOAD=(CHI+XI*PSL)*LOAD
    36
    37
                 4 RETURN
                   END
    38
  END PRT
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